MIDDLETOWN DAILY ARGUS.

VOL. XIX. No. 5,501. MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., THURSDAY, AUGUST 9, 1894. 30 CENTS PER MONTH. PRICE 2 CENTS

THE CRIME OF A WIFE.

Brutal Murder of a Farmer Near Carondelet, Ills.

SHE DRESSED IN MALE APPAREL.

And, Aided by Her Paramour, Waylaid Her Aged Husband at Night—The Victim Was First Shot, and Then the Wife Crushed His Skull with a Hammer.

ST LOUIS, Aug 9.—Fred Kahn, an aged farmer living just outside the east limits of Carondelet, Ills., was murdered Tuesday night by his young wife, Annie, and her paramour George Centrell, who worked for the murdered man. Just before 10 o'clock several persons heard cries and pistol shots. At a turn of the road, about 500 yards from his home, they found Kahn in a pool of blood and evidences that a horrible struggle had occurred. Across a corn field the struggle had been carried until the final blow with a two pound blacksmith's hammer had been dealt. It carried away the entire left side of the head as far down as the cheek bone, including the eye and part of the nose. The bullet wounds also were in themselves enough to kill the man. The weapons and bloody clothing of the guilty pair were found hidden near the place where the man was murdered. The man and woman were captured.

Mrs Kahn and her paramour, George Centrell, made a confession. The latter was the first to break. He said that a man named Jerry Johnson had met him and given him a revolver, with which he was compelled to shoot Kahn. Centrell then told practically the story of the murder as already related, beginning at the attack on Kahn at the straw pile, and the flight across the corner of the corn field up to the spot where Kahn was found.

Johnson, as far as can be learned from the evidence, is Mrs Kahn, who, togged up in a pair of her husband's trousers, is said to have wielded the hammer which smashed in the head of the murdered man. Centrell says she was there and took an active part in the murder.

The strongest evidence against her is the story told by her own son, Edward Boz, who is a stepson of the dead man. The boy, who is not more than 14 years old, says that when the old man went away from the house to go to Bungtown his mother and George went out together, and that his mother had the hammer and a bundle. When he heard the shooting and the screams of murder he began to yell for his mother, who did not come in for some time after that. When she did come back she told him to shut up his noise and go to bed.

The woman at first tried to tell the Johnson story, but when she heard of Centrell's confession she said that it had all been done by Centrell, and that no such person as Johnson had been mixed up with the affair. She stoutly denied all charges of criminal intimacy between herself and Centrell, until she learned that Centrell had owned to it.

Kahn was a well to do farmer. He was known to have $20 in currency on him when murdered, and this was stolen after the murder. Some of the dead man's papers were found in Centrell's clothes, but the money was not. Centrell insists that Johnson took the cash.

A Jealous Lover's Terrible Crime.

OTTUMWA, Ia., Aug. 9.—In a fit of jealousy W. S. Jenkins, Burlington baggage master at Chariton, Ia., shot Mrs Eliza Murphy, his landlady, and her two daughters, and then committed suicide. He was enamored of Julia, the younger daughter, and jealous of the attentions of another man. Jenkins and Josie Murphy are dead, and Mrs Murphy and Julia fatally wounded. It is believed Jenkins was insane.

YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL GAMES

National League.

At Boston—Philadelphia, 18; Boston, 10. At Brooklyn—First game: Baltimore, 4; Brooklyn, 1. Second game: Baltimore, 13, Brooklyn, 5. At Washington—Washington, 12; New York, 10. At Pittsburg—Pittsburg, 9; Cleveland, 0 (forfeited). At Chicago—Cincinnati, 14; Chicago, 11.

Eastern League.

At Binghamton—Erie, 7; Binghamton, 6. At Syracuse—Syracuse, 4; Springfield, 3. At Scranton—Providence, 11; Scranton, 3. At Wilkesbarre—Buffalo, 7; Wilkesbarre, 4.

Pennsylvania State League.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 4; Pottsville, 3. At Reading—Allentown, 6; Reading, 5. At Harrisburg—Harrisburg, 8; Hazleton, 4. At Lancaster—Lancaster, 12; Shenandoah, 4.

A Baby's Life Saved.

WALTON, N. Y., April 14, 1894.—When my baby was six months old she was taken very badly with diarrhœa. A doctor came every day for a week. Baby got worse, until she could notice nothing at all. I got so worried I called on our druggists and he recommended Dr. Hand's Diarrhœa Mixture. I got it and just one-half a bottle cured my baby and saved her life.

MRS. GEO. H. GOODRICH.

At all drug stores 25 cents.

Glad Tidings.

The grand specific for the prevailing malady of the age, Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Rheumatism, Costiveness, General Debility, etc., is Bacon's Celery King for the nerves. This great herbal tonic stimulates the digestive organs, regulates the Liver and restores the system to vigorous health and energies. Samples free. Large packages 50c and 25c. Sold only by John J. Chambers, 21 West Main Street opp. Runyons Grocery.

THE BRITISH AT BLUEFIELDS

Acting in Thorough Accord with the United States Representatives.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—The official advices from London to the effect that Great Britain is co-operating with the United States in Bluefields is fully confirmed at the state department. At the time of the first outbreak in Bluefields, when British marines were landed on the bluff, the British government assured Mr. Bayard, our ambassador at London, that their only purpose was to protect the lives and property of British and other foreign citizens, and not to occupy the country by taking advantage of the protectorate clause of the treaty of Managua.

Since then the two nations have been working harmoniously, animated by a desire to see some kind of a stable and sufficient government established over the reservation, and even in this Great Britain has allowed the United States to take the initiative. It is believed that the recent defeat sustained by Clarence, the Mosquito chief, was caused by the desertion of the Jamaica negroes from his forces, on account of the peremptory notice from the British naval commander that if they participated in the fray he would withdraw protection from them.

The object of General Barrios' mission to England is to secure a modification, not of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, but of the treaty of Managua, by virtue of which the British protectorate exists. The Clayton-Bulwer treaty is between the United States and Great Britain, and Nicaragua is not a party to it. It is understood that the purpose of General Barrios is to secure an amendment to the treaty so as to recognize the right of Nicaragua to assert her supremacy over the Mosquito reservation, while saving to the Mosquitos the right of administering their local affairs under proper regulations.

A Worthless Husband's Triple Crime.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 9 — Yesterday William Evans appeared in the house No. 1424 Montgomery avenue, where his wife was living with her parents, and without a moment's warning shot and instantly killed Lewis A. Hecht, his wife's uncle, drove a bullet through his wife's cheek, and then, placing a revolver at his heart, ended his own existence. Hecht the murdered man was 53 years old, and a machinist by trade. He was employed at a dye works in Frankford. The motive for the deed was probably revenge, as Evans had been a worthless and cruel husband for years, and Mrs Evans' parents finally induced her to leave him. Evans was jealous of Hecht on that account. Mrs Evans will recover.

Invaded Reading's City Hall.

READING, Pa., Aug 9—The city hall was invaded yesterday by 150 of the 400 laborers who have been at work on the city sewer system, and who struck recently because their wages are seven weeks in arrears. They were loud in their curses of the members of councils who have refused to make an appropriation to pay for the work. Efforts were made to get them to leave the building, but they remained all day. When they left it was with the promise that they would return in greater numbers. As the men are mostly ignorant foreigners trouble is feared unless the matter is soon settled.

Counterfeiters Caught in Oklahoma.

OKLAHOMA, O. T., Aug 9 — United States marshals have arrested four more of the gang of counterfeiters that have been working this territory. They consisted of Mrs Walker her two sons and John Curley. A large number of plates and dies were found in the latter's farm house, near Tecumseh. John Crum, the leader of the gang, who was arrested a few days ago, turned state's evidence and told the officers where they could find the plates and dies, which were most ingeniously constructed.

Fought Twenty-five Rounds to a Draw.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug 9—Jimmy Carroll and Andy Bowen met last night before a large audience in the rooms of the Auditorium Athletic club and fought for a purse of $1,500, of which the winner was to receive $1,200 and the loser $300. Both men entered the ring fit to fight for their lives, and though the battle was vigorous and bloody throughout neither was able to get in a knock out blow, and at the end of twenty-five rounds the contest was declared a draw.

No Yacht to Compete with Vigilant.

COWES, Isle of Wight, Aug 9—Only the Vigilant appeared on the line at gunfire in the race for the Royal Yacht squadron prize of £100 for all yachts exceeding forty-one rating belonging to any recognized yacht club. The race was, therefore, declared off. Mr Gould refusing to permit the Vigilant to sail over the course for half the prize. The Britannia is undergoing repairs.

It Cured Mother and Daughter.

BETHANY, N. Y., June 3, 1885.—"Since my wife commenced the use of Gilmore's wine she has steadily improved, until now her health is restored. She says she cannot keep house without this wine. It also cured my daughter, who was troubled with suppression of the menses. She had run over ten weeks and took only one bottle before she was cured."—Philip G. Burke. All druggists sell Gilmore's Aromatic Wine at $1 per bottle.

Great Triumph.

Instant relief experienced and a permanent cure by the most speedy and greatest in the world—Otto's Cure for Lung and Throat disease s Why will you continue to irritate your throat and lungs with that terrible hacking caugh when John J. Chambers, 21 West Main Street, opp. Runyon's grocery, sole agent, will furnish you a free sample bottle of this great guarantee r medy? Its success is simply wonderful, as your druggist will tell you. Otto's is now sold in every town and village on this continent. Sample free. Large bottles 50c and 25c.

PATERSON REDS SENTENCED.

Doebler, the Leader of the Gang, Gets Five and a Half Years.

PATERSON, N. J., Aug. 9.—The convicted anarchists who led the memorable riots of the silk workers during March and April last, and who were convicted for assaulting workingmen, throwing bombs and writing threatening letters, were sentenced by Judge Hopper in the court of quarter sessions.

Charles Doebler, convicted of placing a dynamite bomb on the lawn of the house of William Strange, a manufacturer, in April, and writing threatening letters to Mr Strange and Jacob Weidman, was sentenced to five years in state prison for bomb throwing and six months for writing the letters.

Robert Seidel, his companion in the letter writing business, was sent to state prison for one year. Charles Starke, August Bonte, Victor Glass, Herman Fishbecker and Hugo Schilling were each sentenced to one year in state prison for assaulting workmen and rioting. Andrew Hohler was sentenced to three months in the county jail for rioting.

Cash and Cashier Missing.

ALTOONA, Pa., Aug. 9—Harry A. Gardner, cashier of the Second National bank, of this city, left here Monday night in company with a Mrs. Gordon, who is said to have lived at 2017 Mervine street, Philadelphia, and to whom Gardner has been so attentive during the past year as to excite much unfavorable comment. A director of the bank is authority for the statement that Gardner has also taken with him a large sum of money belonging to the bank. The books have not yet been fully examined, but the same director estimates the amount taken to be about $20,000. The stockholders say they are willing to make good any shortage. Gardner has held a prominent place in business and social circles for many years, and leaves behind him in Hollidaysburg, his former place of residence, a wife and four young children.

William Visiting His Grandmother.

COWES, Aug 9—The emperor of Germany dined with the queen at Osborne last evening. The Prince of Wales and the Marchioness of Lorne were present. A reception tendered subsequently by the queen was attended by the officers of the British, German and United States naval vessels in the harbor. Emperor William will bid farewell to the queen on Sunday. He will go to Aldershot on Monday to witness a review of the troops. The imperial yacht Hohenzollern will proceed to Gravesend, from which place the emperor will depart next Wednesday.

Deadly Earthquake Shocks in Sicily.

PALERMO, Sicily, Aug. 9.—Earthquake shocks were felt at 6 o'clock in the morning at Aci Reale and at Zaffarano. At the latter place six people were killed and several injured. Nearly all the houses at Zaffarano were left in ruins. The shocks were also severe at Aci Sant Antonio, seven miles west of Aci Reale, and scarcely a house in the town was left standing. Four persons were killed and ten were injured. The disaster would have been much more serious had not the people been at work in the fields at the time.

Seeking Aid for Starving Coreans.

NEW YORK, Aug 9.—Hon. W. Q. Gresham, secretary of state, has been asked if the United States will undertake the transportation of the contributions of flour, grain, etc., that, it is expected, will be made in this country for the relief of the starving Coreans. Efforts will be made to secure a ship load of food for the sufferers. A religious newspaper of this city has already agreed to contribute 1,000 barrels of flour to any cargo that may be made up.

Two Killed for a Jug of Whisky.

TULSA, I. T., Aug. 9.—The Shawnee war dance, which has been running for the last five days, has been the scene of a double tragedy. Frank Sennitt, a prominent business man of Sennitt, O. T., and Tom Kennedy, of Olagah, Cherokee Nation, began quarreling over a jug of whisky which Sennitt had broken by shooting into it. Both began shooting, and Sennitt, after being mortally wounded, killed Kennedy and then fell off his horse dead.

Election in the Chickasaw Nation.

ARMORIA, I. T., Aug 9—An election for governor was held yesterday throughout the Chickasaw nation. The candidates are: P. S. Mosley, Independent, R. I. Boyd, on the "Allotment in Severalty" ticket, and ex-Governor William Byrd on the "Pullback" ticket. The friends of the latter are sanguine of success, but the result, owing to the slowness of territorial elections generally, will likely not be known for a couple of days.

Bloody Fight Between Farmers.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Aug 9—News of a bloody fight between two farmers in Pottowattomie is received. Thomas Hopkins and J. G. Warren, between whom there was an old feud, met at a bridge across the Little river. Each man was accompanied by friends and neighbors. A conflict with stones, revolvers and Winchesters ensued, in which Warren was killed and several others injured.

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his Stomach was disordered, his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill. had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklin's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Sdeaker, Catawba, O., had five large fever sores on his leg, and the doctors said he was incurable. One bottle of Electric Bitters and one box of Bucklin's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold at McMonagle & Rogers Drug store.

TARIFF PREDICTIONS.

Some Conferrees Think That the End Is Near at Hand.

BUT THEY ARE STILL ARGUING.

Senator Jones, While Admitting That No Agreement Has Been Reached, Declares That the Outlook for a Speedy Settlement Is Cheering.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—When the Democratic tariff conference adjourned last evening it was understood on all sides that the Democrats would report to the full conference today. Members of the conference supported the general faith by their statements, which were more or less sanguine or guarded, depending upon the temperament of the speaker. While the utterances at the time of adjournment were not so strong as those which were heard earlier in the afternoon they were still sufficiently assuring to justify the statement that, barring improbable contingencies, the Democratic members of the conference will find themselves prepared some time during the day, or at the latest tomorrow, to call in the Republican members of the conference for a full meeting.

"I will not say," said Senator Jones last night, "that we have agreed, for that would not be true, but the situation is cheerful, and the indications are that we shall finish the work tomorrow. If we do not come to an agreement tomorrow I shall consider the conference at an end, for I do not see the use of continuing our interviews with the house conferrees any longer."

This situation was at the end of a day which had started out with a determination on the part of the senate conferrees, supported by the conservative senators, to bring the question at issue to a finality during the day, and which later brought the positive, though unofficial, announcement that this end had been accomplished and an understanding reached. The report began to gain circulation about 1 o'clock, and it grew stronger and stronger, without receiving positive confirmation from those in a position to know the facts, until 2:30, when members of the conference and senators who had been closeted with them confirmed it to the extent of saying that, while all the details had not been arranged, they felt confident that a basis had been found upon which the conferrees of both houses could stand, and terms actually agreed upon which the conservative senators would accept. Both Democrats and Republicans accepted this as the approach of the end, and as equal to a definite announcement of agreement.

When, however, the conference reconvened at 3 o'clock it soon developed that by no means all the details had been arranged, and also that there was more or less opposition to the program, and it was not long before the conferrees found themselves bothering over many of the same propositions which they had been considering for days. It also became noised about that the outlook was not so bright as it had appeared a few hours before.

It was understood that objection had been made from the house to the retention of the duty on coal, and that certain senators, among whom was Senator Pugh, of Alabama, had taken a decided stand against what they termed the sacrifice of iron ore. These complaints were sufficient to cause the conferrees to halt for a time, and it is known that some difficulties were encountered in adjusting the differences on other schedules.

The conferrees were, therefore, not as sanguine upon the adjournment of their afternoon session as they were when the forenoon session closed. They came out of the conference somewhat anxious, but still, as they asserted, hopeful that today would see the final adjustment of their differences. They stated that the coal and iron ore rates were among those which had not been fixed beyond recall. Indeed sugar appears from the statements given out to be the only article upon which a definite conclusion has been reached, but it was understood that either coal or iron ore would go to the free list and the other would be dutiable at the senate rate. During the day it was first ore and then the other of these articles that was to be free, and finally it was left open until today.

The Republican steering committee of the senate held a session immediately after the adjournment of the senate to consider the situation. The understanding among them was to the effect that the Democrats had got close enough together to allow the tariff bill to be reported back to the senate today. There were present Republicans who had information as to the status of the bill, and they stated that upon the manufacturing schedules the senate rates in the main obtained, but on the three principal items, sugar, coal and iron, a compromise had been reached. It was from this standpoint that the Republicans discussed the bill and the possibility of defeating it.

It was first ascertained that every Republican and the Populists Peffer and Stewart would vote against the bill, and that Mr. Hill would also oppose it. Three more votes were necessary to defeat it. The announcement was made with considerable directness that both Messrs. Caffery and Blanchard, of Louisiana would vote against, though they were not considered absolutely certain.

One of the senators had asked Senator Allen as to the position of himself and Mr. Kyle, who voted for the bill when it passed the senate, and while he had not received a positive answer, the inference was that the Populists seemed to think it was a part of their policy to vote against the bill. With the Republican side solid, and Hill, Caffery, Blanchard and Allen with them the bill could not pass. The Republicans had to acknowledge, however, that the prospects of getting all three of the last named was extremely doubtful.

The impression prevailed that the decisive vote would be taken today, and absent senators were telegraphed to return to Washington. It is not the purpose of the Republicans to consume any time in debate. It is probable that they will be willing to take a vote very soon after the report is made. Their motion will be to indefinitely postpone the bill, and this, they think, will be the test. The other motion by the friends of the bill will be to agree to the report of the conference committee, but if the motion to indefinitely postpone fails the motion to agree is very likely to be carried by the same vote.

Seven Killed by a Bomb.

ATHENS, Aug. 9.—A bomb exploded with terrific force in the Jewish quarter of the city of Corfu last evening, killing seven persons and doing considerable damage to property. There is no clew to the perpetrators of the outrage.

GENERAL TARSNEY'S ASSAILANTS

An Oath Bound Organization "for the Suppression of Anarchy."

COLORADO SPRINGS, Aug 9.—Dr. J. T. Reed, who was pointed out to the detectives in Denver as one of the principals in the Tarsney outrage by ex-Deputy J. R. Wilson after he made his confession, is a prominent mine owner and politician. He was brought to this city in company with Wilson by Sheriff Bowers, and bonds were given for their appearance while Wilson was locked up along with ex-Deputy Parker, who has also made a confession.

An extraordinary document was found on Dr. Reed when he was searched in Denver. It is a lengthy oath showing that he was a member of a "society for the suppression of anarchy" and is in part as follows:

"In the presence of Almighty God and these witnesses whom I have this day chosen as my associates and companions, I, ——, do most solemnly and sincerely promise and swear that I will do my duty at any and all times as may be planned and agreed upon by these, my sworn companions, in exercising just and needed punishment on anarchists and such other criminals and murderers and strikers in Cripple Creek and their fellow sympathizers, either in high or low positions, the executive of the state not excepted, as we shall deem guilty of crimes against law abiding citizens of the United States where human lives have been sacrificed, real and personal property destroyed or stolen, and many happy homes broken up."

Wilson told the detectives all the parties to the conspiracy subscribed to this oath.

North Carolina Democratic Nominees.

RALEIGH, N. C., Aug 9—At the Democratic state convention yesterday Chief Justice James E. Sheppard and Associate Justices Walter Clark, James C. Macrea and Armistead Burwell and State Treasurer McD Tate were nominated by acclamation to succeed themselves. The three questions of interest were the silver plank, the full indorsement of the administration and whether primaries should be held in the counties for United States senators to succeed Ransom and Jarvis. The proposition for primaries was laid on the table by a vote of 652 to 240. The others were enthusiastically carried.

Sensational Break in Corn.

NEW YORK, Aug. 9—The corn market had another active day of it yesterday, with a sensational break in prices which practically wiped out all of Tuesday's gain. There was an outpour of long stuff that simply inundated the market and broke prices four cents a bushel and eight cents at Chicago. The bulls started in to check the decline, and succeeded after September had sold down to 59½c., December to 55¼c and May to 54¾c. Corn still presents the unusual spectacle of being considerably above the price of wheat on cash and nearby deliveries.

Anarchist Francho Weakening.

BARCELONA, Aug 9—Salvador Francho, who is under sentence of death for causing the explosion in the Liceo theater in November last, when more than thirty persons were killed, has written a letter to the bishop requesting that he visit him. He says that he desires to make a confession. He is despondent and penitent, and suffers continually from a self inflicted wound.

Shot by His Youthful Companion.

OPELIKA, Ala., Aug 9—Roily Love, 13 years old, had some trouble with Emmett Brooks, 14 years old. The result was that young Brooks received a load of duck shot in his stomach, and is thought to be fatally injured. The father of young Love delivered his son to the authorities. The little fellow does not appear to appreciate the enormity of his offense.

Unable to Elect a Chairman.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Aug 9—The Fayette county Democratic committee met here for the purpose of electing a chairman. The names of B. J. Welch, a Breckinridge man, and E. P. Farrell, an Owens man, were put before the convention, but after four ballots an adjournment was had until Wednesday next. The one Settle man present refused to vote.

The Town Threatened with Destruction by Fire.

CHIPPEWA FALLS, Wis., Aug 9—A report has just reached here that the village of Winneconne, 25 miles west of here, is in great danger of destruction by fire. The flames have started in the business center, and seem to be working toward the lumber yards located along the river. Winneconne has a population of about 2,000.

Noted Mexican Outlaw Killed.

REYNOSA, Mex., Aug. 9—Marcus de Luna, the most notorious outlaw in northern Mexico, was killed forty miles south of here yesterday by a detachment of Mexican soldiers who had been sent in pursuit of him. He was with a woman when the soldiers fired upon them, killing both.

Just Married.

How loving they are; this is always a sure sign. After the first year sometimes it don't hold good. When Charles comes home to you grouty and cross, snapping and snarling, unable to relish the nice dinner you have cooked, and feels as if there was a ton of pig iron in his stomach, he is troubled with dyspepsia, and Sulphur Bitters is the only medicine that will cure him.

THE JAPAN-CHINA WAR

Fears of Typhoons Will Postpone Naval Engagements.

JAPANESE VICTORIES REPORTED.

They Claim to Have Captured Selkian and Yashan from the Chinese—A Prediction That China, When Aroused, Will Overwhelm Her Opponents.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—In speaking of the probabilities of the pending war between China and Japan an official of the Japanese legation today recalled the fact that the season of the monsoon and the typhoon is now rapidly approaching. The presence of the former is not regarded as a menace to sea maneuvering, but fear is felt of the latter. The typhoon is a revolving windstorm whose effects are disastrous. It is believed by the officials of the legation that the naval movements during the typhoon season, at least, will be somewhat circumscribed. Already reports have reached here of high gales off the Chinese coast that have compelled all craft but the staunchest steamers to seek shelter in port. The United States steamer Marion was struck by a storm of this kind a few months ago when beginning her voyage home from China to San Francisco. She had a narrow escape, though she is a splendid seaboat, and was in the hands of the ablest navigator in the navy.

A letter was received recently in this city from Lieutenant Colonel Von Hanneken, who was on the transport Kow Shing when she was sunk by the Japanese torpedoes. It was written in June, and the colonel said that war was inevitable, because the Japanese were determined to have one. The Chinese were reluctant, he said, and he anticipated Japanese victories at first, because of China's lack of preparation. But in the end, when the Chinese were fairly aroused, they would certainly and surely overwhelm their adversaries, he wrote. The colonel is an officer of the second rank in the Chinese service a place of high distinction, and is thoroughly informed as to their resources. He is a highly trained engineer officer, and it was he who built the forts at Port Arthur and at Wei Hai Wei, on the opposite shore.

JAPANESE VICTORIES REPORTED.

Unsuccessful Efforts of Russia and Great Britain to Secure Peace.

YOKOHAMA, Aug. 9.—Further battles have been fought between the Japanese and the Chinese, and the latter have been defeated. Selkian has been taken by the Japanese with trifling loss. The Chinese in this engagement lost 500 killed. The enemy fled in the direction of Koshiu. The Japanese are in possession of Yashan. The greatest excitement prevails here, at Tokio and at other large towns as a result of the victories of the Japanese troops. Rumors, however, are current here that the Japanese naval forces were defeated in an engagement with Chinese warships. An imperial ordinance just issued permits Chinese to reside in Japan on condition that they engage in peaceful pursuits.

SHANGHAI, Aug. 9—It is officially reported from Tientsin that the efforts of Great Britain and Russia to bring about a peaceful settlement of the disputes between China and Japan have failed. China is willing to pay an indemnity, but she refuses to surrender her suzerainty of Corea.

Germans Must Not Supply Arms.

BERLIN, Aug 9—Chancellor Von Caprivi has issued an order to the officials of German towns, declaring that they prohibit the export of munitions of war to Japan or China.

A Menace to Navigators.

NEW YORK, Aug. 9—The British steamer Merdia, which arrived here yesterday, passed the schooner Fannie Wolston, an old derelict wrecked Dec 15, 1891, just east of Body's Island and north of Cape Hatteras, from whence she drifted away eastward, thence back with the trade winds, having drifted something over 5,000 miles. She is now directly in the path of United States and Brazilian vessels. She is considered quite dangerous to navigation on account of her lying very low in the water.

A New Catholic See.

READING, Pa., Aug 9.—It is stated here, upon apparently good authority, that Archbishop Ryan, of Philadelphia, contemplates the division of the archdiocese of which he is the head. The new bishop will, it is said, reside in Reading, and the new See is to include about fifty parishes. Among those mentioned for the bishop's ring are Rev George Bornemann of this city, Rev John Fitzmaurice of Philadelphia, and several others.

La Grippe.

During the prevalence of the Grippe in past seasons it was a noticeable fact that those who depended upon Dr. King's New Discovery, not only had a speedy recovery, but escaped all of the troublesome after effects of the malady. This remedy seems to have a peculiar power in effecting rapid cures not only in cases of La Grippe, but in all Diseases of Throat, Chest and Lungs, and has cured cases of Asthma and Hay Fever of long standing. Try it and be convinced. It won't disappoint. Free Trial Bottles at McMonagle & Rogers's drug store.

Rheumatism Cured in a Day.

"Mystic Cure" for Rheumatism and Neuralgia radically cures in one to three days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause, and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. Seventy-five cents. Sold by J. E. Mills, druggist, Middletown.

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®

Shakespeare

When he wrote "Taming of the Shrew," was evidently gifted with prophetic foresight when he made one of his characters declare "My cake is dough." Those who have been credulous enough to take imitations for COTTOLENE, the now universally

Endorsed

shortening, have experienced the same disappointment for their cake has been "dough." Those who have used COTTOLENE know that its principal merit is its uniform reliability. Be wise and refuse anything that is offered as a substitute for

Cottolene

Sold in three and five pound pails

Made only by
N.K.FAIRBANK & CO.
CHICAGO,
AND
Produce Exchange,
NEW YORK.

ECONOMY TALK.

We have been referred to as "The Half Price Store," and we believe it is justified, as is evidenced by our selling at regular sale 50 yard spools Black Sewing Silk at 2 cents, others g-t 5 cents

A handsome Gingham Apron **at 10c., actually worth 15 cents,** and have been sold elsewhere at 20 cents.

Fine bleached Turkish Bath Towels, 18x41 inches, at 10c. No one would question their value at 18 cents.

Hence we say if you are economical, you should

Economize at the ECONOMY STORE.

114 North St.

WE ARE NOW LOCATED
AT
J. C. Runyon & Son's Old Stand, Corner Wickham Ave. and North St.,
WITH A FULL LINE OF
NEW GROCERIES!
WHICH
We Will Dispose of at Very Low Prices,
As we expect to occupy our old stand again about Sept 1st. and do not care to transfer goods.

RITTER & BEYEA.

Coal WM. F. ROYCE SUCCESSOR TO **Coal**

CHAS. P. SMILEY, wholesale and retail dealer in the best grades of

Pittston, Lehigh and Lackawanna

COAL, COAL!

Lehigh, Red Ash, Stove and Chestnut Coal a specialty.

CUMBERLAND COAL FOR BLACKSMITHS always on hand.

10 Henry St., Middletown.

PARK PENNYROYAL PILLS the celebrated Female Regulator are perfectly safe and always reliable. For all irregularities, painful Menstruations. Suppression, etc., they never fail to afford a speedy and certain relief. NO EXPERIMENT, but a scientific and positive relief, adopted only after years of experience. All orders supplied direct from our office. Price per package $1.00, or six packages for $5.00, by mail, postpaid. EVERY PACKAGE GUARANTEED. Particulars (sealed) 4 cts. All Correspondence strictly confidential.

PARK REMEDY CO., Boston, Mass.
eod6mAug28

SHE WAS NOT A WIDOW

JUMPIN JOE OF CHEROKEE MEETS A LONE FEMALE.

And Having Taken a Dose of His Wonderful "Sassyparilly" She Rises Up In Her Might and Lights on Abraham—Refusing a Sorrowing Stranger.

I was humbly pursooin my way over to the enthoosiastic town of Jerusalem Hill to hold forth to the ardent populashun on the merits of my Cherokee sassyparilly and Magic cement when I cums to a shelter made of hoss blankets and bed quilts and a wagon kiver, and sittin in front of the same was a lone female, with sorrer pictured on her countenance.

"What did they die of?" sez I as I halts and looks down upon her with compashun in my soul.

"As to which?" sez she.

'Them children."

"Thar's 'leven of 'em down thar paddlin in that mudhole," sez she, pintin with her finger, "and thar lain't no pertickler call fur me to be sorrerin over them!"

"Then it is the partner of yer buzum," sez I. "Permit me to indulge in the hope that the noose was an easy fit and he didn't hev nuthin to complain of."

"SHAKE THE BOTTLE, MA'AM."

"Do ye refer to his hevin departed this sinful life?" she asks as she consoles her nose with a pinch of snuff and wipes it off on an ole piece of rag carpet.

"The same, ma'am. This is a world of partin. Mebbe ye know why they wanted him to leave Cherokee?"

"Ye ar' barkin up the wrong tree, stranger. I hain't sorrerin bekase of any hangin, and I'm no widder. That's my ole man a-lyin under that bush out thar."

"Then why this sorrer?"

"Back thar in Arkansaw," sez she as the tears riz to her eyes, "I could wollop my ole man any day in the week, but this change of climate is agin me."

"And now he wollops ye?"

"He do, stranger—doggone him, he do! So long as I could wollop him he'd raise co'n and taters and git us 'nuff to eat, but since I've lost my holt he's got most too shiftless to draw his breath. He's bin asleep out thar fur the last five hours, and a cyclone couldn't move him. What ye got in that satchil?"

"Fustly, ma'am, I may menshun that I'm the architect of a sassyparilly called arter this blissful and enthoosiastic porshun of America. Secondly, I'm the constructor of a magic cement which no respectable family kin afford to do without, bein as it will mend everythink except a broken heart and might do that if properly incouraged. Thirdly, I'm exhibitin of this yere grasshopper, who ar' now in the second y'ar of his bloomin career and a livin proof that I hain't claimin nuthin fur my preparashun that I can't prove to the satisfaction of the suspishus public. I remove him from the bottle and break him up and cement him together agin. He's got so he cries to be exhibited, and it don't make no difference which end his head happens to be on, but to keep him in a cheerful mood I dose him at intervals with the sassyparilly. I'm not agin a feller critter of a man except on occashuns like this. D'ye want to regain the pinnacle from which ye hev bin hurled, ma am?"

"As to how?"

"As to be able to wollop that husband o' yours once agin."

"It kin never, never be," she sez as she mournfully shakes her head. "This yere Cherokee climate has taken all the fight outer me, and I can't skassly git up the energy to lick the children once a week. No; it's not fur me to ever sot on that pinnacle agin."

"I'm kinder sorry fur the critter," I sez as I looks over at her ole man under the bush.

"Fur why?" sez she.

"Bekase I'm goin to interdooce my Cherokee sassyparilly inter this grievin family, free of cost, as an experiment, and 10 minits arter ye've took it that sleepin reptile over thar will be a wolloped man."

"Who's goin fur to wollop him?"

"Ye be. I'm agoin to restore yer sorrerful speerits to thar original state."

"If it could be done, stranger! If I could be restored jest long 'nuff to give Abraham a surprise party, I'd be willin to take leave of the children and die!"

SHE RIZ.

'Shake the bottle, ma'am, and pour yerself a dose. I'm not the sort of a critter to hold out false hopes to a heartbroken woman. The price is a dollar a bottle when ye want to buy, and I'll thank ye to recommend it to the sorrerin public as fur as yer voice may go."

She helped herself to a dose, and it wasn't three minits afore the flame of victory had dried her weepin eyes. Two minits later she riz up in all her pristine glory and started fur Abraham. Fairly soon arter she had hit on him with both feet he got up and sailed in to wollop her, but he never stood no show. He was a licked man while I counted 50, and afore I was outer sight she had wolloped nine of the young uns and was spittin on her hands to tackle the tenth.

As I jogged along, feelin that happiness in my soul which cums to a critter who does his dooty to'rds his feller men without hope of reward, I run up agin another case of sorrer. A man sot on a stone by the wayside, and as I halted afore him he looked up, and I saw that grief was tuggin at his heart-strings.

"Yer loss is doubtless her gain?" sez I, thinkin he was probably mournin fur the ole woman.

"'Tain't that, stranger," sez he in a voice full o' splinters, "'tain't that death has invaded the fam'ly circle, kase thar hain't no circle to invade. It's that I hain't bin used right in this Cherokee strap."

"As to how?"

"As to bein give a fa'r show to get along."

"Hevn't ye got a claim?"

"I had one, but it was no use. Laid around thar fur three weeks waitin fur sum claim jumper to try and jump me, but not a reptile showed up. 'Pears like they was all conspired agin me."

"What did ye want to be jumped fur if it won't be offendin yer sensitive feelin's?"

"What fur? Why, fur to shute sum one and becum an eminent citizen, of course. Who's looked up to in this yere kentry onless he's put a feller reptile under the airth?"

"Hevn't ye bin able to pick a fuss with sumbody on the road?"

"Nary a one. I've s'arched and s'arched, but nobody wants a fuss."

"Couldn't ye find a victim in any of the towns?"

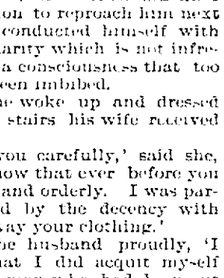
"If I could, would I be grievin yere? Do I look like a man as would give way as long as thar was any hope? Stranger, luck is dead agin me, and it's no use. Ambishun hain't got no show in Cherokee. I wanted to run fur offis over at Jerusalem Hill, but when they axed fur my record I had none to give, and they turned from me with coldness and contempt and gin the nominashun to a feller what had planted his third."

"It's a sad state of affairs, and I feels fur ye," sez I as I got ready to ride on.

"Stranger," sez he as a shadder of hope crept inter his achin heart, "mebbe ye'd be willin to help a feller worm of the dust to make sumthin of hisself?"

"As how?"

"As to lendin me a gun and lettin me pop ye off that cayuse."



It grieved me to refuse him, but I had to do it. I broke the news to him as gently as I could and incouraged him to hope that the next feller might not hev anythink to live fur, but he was a stricken critter when I rode on and left him. When I got to Jerusalem Hill, I tried to induce the boss of the vigilance committee to send out and captur' the heartbroken man and hang him, but he turns on me with:

GRIEF WAS TUGGIN AT HIS HEART-STRINGS

"Hez he killed anybody as kin be named?"

"I don't think so."

"Hez he stole anybody's hoss or mewl or jumped a claim?"

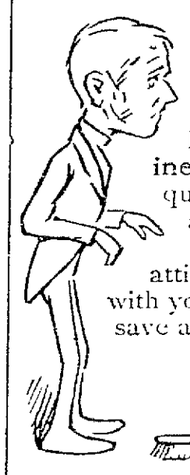
"He hain't sayin as he has."

"Hain't ever dammed up a creek and tried to sell the water to perishin humanity at $1 a bar'l?"

"Reckon not, or he'd 'a' menshuned it."

"Then let him die of a broken heart or git hisself struck by lightnin, fur this committee hain't doin no one hoss bizness to risk its reputashun as a four hoss outfit!"

ALSTIN KELNE.



No Wonder He Dreads It,

if his house is cleaned in the old-fashioned, tearing-up way. Why can't a man's wife use Pearline for cleaning house, and let him keep comfortable? That's all she needs—Pearline and water— to make it an easy thing (and a quick one,) both for herself and for everybody around her.

Everything in the house, from cellar to attic, can be cleaned best with Pearline. Besides, with your paint and wood-work and such things, you'll save a lot of wear that comes from useless scrubbing.

Send it Back Peddlers and some unscrupulous grocers will tell you "this is as good as" or "the same as Pearline." IT'S FALSE —Pearline is never peddled, and if your grocer sends you something in place of Pearline, be honest—*send it back.* 419 JAMES PYLE, N. Y.

"America's Greatest Men and Women."

AMERICA'S GREATEST MEN AND WOMEN.

MR. WILSON TALKS.

MY Name is Wilson; I do an insurance business on LaSalle street, in Chicago Ill., and I live in Evanston, Ill. Evanston is what was originally a scattering population on a pretty point on Lake Michigan, esteemed years ago far from the city of Chicago, but now one of the varied towns which may go within it by vote of the population.

I am married and have a wife and one child. That child is a boy (I suppose I should feel the same solicitude if it was a girl), and I have a father's natural fancies as to what must be the best thing to give that child the right kind of intelligence, and so divert his course that he may succeed in life. I have studied a great deal upon the subject. My own experience would not be of great value, because I have succeeded only to the limit of the average man and am barely established; still, I own the house and lot upon which I live, and am feeling perfectly safe in meeting the exigencies of the year. I want the boy to take a broader view than I did, to be a bigger man in the world. I have studied how to teach him to do that, and he has done pretty well, as far as the preliminaries go. Now, I have thought over what I should say to him and have sometimes been puzzled. I could not very well tell him what to do. I wanted to tell him what I needed but what I did not learn myself when I was of his age, and what my father did not know how to tell me, or else was not thoughtful enough to do so. I wanted to tell him how to follow the example of those who have succeeded at the present time and under the circumstances which ordinarily affect a young man struggling in this Republic established on this comparatively new world to-day. I wanted to tell him just what he had better do to get along well, and to point out to him what had been done by the people who were successful at the present time.

Of course, the record of the people of any time past would not be of so much value, because circumstances must necessarily have been different when they were alive. I feel confident, though, that if I could learn, some way and somehow, what the people who are so successful to day have done and how they did it, I could give to my boy such advice as would make his own life at least as far removed from failure as justified by the natural ability he may possess.

I looked around for some authority which I might consult in order to give him the facts most essential with this idea of mine in mind, but I could find none until I discovered that a great publishing firm in Chicago had decided to bring out a book giving the photographs of all the people who are prominent in America to-day. Here was what I wanted. The book, as I have learned, is going to be published in 16 parts, 16 pages to each, with a recent photograph on each page of some active leading American man or woman of to-day, while underneath appears the story of that same person's life—the story telling what that person did, and how the ends attained were eventually accomplished. Here was what I wanted; here was what I needed in various ways; here was what I was certainly seeking in order to obtain the information with which to educate my boy ank secure for him that knowledge which will give him a source of thought and make him prominent in the world.

I have the first sheets of this work. It is a graphic story of America's Greatest Men and Women, told in each instance on a single page underneath a photograph of recent date, which conveys to the eye an idea of what that person is. To me the photograph tells even more than the suggestive record beneath; and yet it is odd how in each instance the correct story corresponds with the expression upon the face which is reproduced in the portrait above. I do not know how the series will end. I know very little about this new feature of the newspaper people; I know nothing about the publishers and their expectations, but I do know this: that if the series so begun should be continued to its practical, ordinary good sense end—and I don't care whether that will include 200 or 700 of America's Greatest Men and Women, which is the title of the book—I do know this, that for the ordinary, active and alert business man—I will certainly say far more for the student or the literary man, or the politician or the statesman—for all these I will say it will be simply the most valuable and the most remarkable book produced in modern history. The wonder is that some one has not thought of it before. Yet no one seems to have done so since the days of Plutarch. Plutarch knew something. That shrewd old fellow knew that all who would get out of the drift, all who would accomplish great things, wanted to know every detail of the lives of those who had better luck or more courage or a broader brain than their fellows; but I am no authority on these points. I only know that there is produced a second Plutarch's Lives, that its biographies are shrewd, graphic and curt, and written without bias and without prejudice. I only know that there was a Plutarch—God bless the old fellow—and that there is this modern work.

This is the work I am going to give to my boy. I am going to make him read it thoroughly. The work is announced as consisting of 16 Parts, with 16 pages and 16 photographs in each part, and when bound, the whole series will make a great volume of 256 pages, the like of which has never been equaled. It is the story of the personal character of the men and women who are making the nation's history at this particular time. What a work this is! Do you imagine that I would miss it for my boy, or, incidentally, for myself?

HERE ARE the TERMS.

IN EVERY ISSUE OF THE ARGUS AND MERCURY will appear a numbered coupon. Cut this coupon out and bring or forward it, together with TEN CENTS, to the Coupon Department of the ARGUS and MERCURY and there will be delivered or mailed to you one number of the series as above. The remaining parts can be obtained as issued, one each week, by the readers of the ARGUS and MERCURY under the same conditions.

You Can Get This Work Only Through the Daily Argus and Mercury.

(PARTS 15 AND 16 NOW READY.)

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

Interest Accounts.

Money left with the First National Bank of Middletown, on certificates of deposit for three (3) months, will draw interest at the rate of three (3) per cent. per annum.

By order Board of Directors.
SEYMOUR J. DEWITT, Cashier.

volce full o' splinters, "'tain't that death has invaded the fam'ly circle, kase thar hain't no circle to invade. It's that I hain't bin used right in this Cherokee strap."

"As to how?"

"As to bein give a fa'r show to get along."

"Hevn't ye got a claim?"

"I had one, but it was no use. Laid around thar fur three weeks waitin fur sum claim jumper to try and jump me, but not a reptile showed up. 'Pears like they was all conspired agin me."

"What did ye want to be jumped fur if it won't be offendin yer sensitive feelin's?"

"What fur? Why, fur to shute sum one and becum an eminent citizen, of course. Who's looked up to in this yere kentry onless he's put a feller reptile under the airth?"

"Hevn't ye bin able to pick a fuss with sumbody on the road?"

"Nary a one. I've s'arched and s'arched, but nobody wants a fuss."

"Couldn't ye find a victim in any of the towns?"

"If I could, would I be grievin yere? Do I look like a man as would give way as long as thar was any hope? Stranger, luck is dead agin me, and it's no use. Ambishun hain't got no show in Cherokee. I wanted to run fur offis over at Jerusalem Hill, but when they axed fur my record I had none to give, and they turned from me with coldness and contempt and gin the nominashun to a feller what had planted his third."

"It's a sad state of affairs, and I feels fur ye," sez I as I got ready to ride on.

"Stranger," sez he as a shadder of hope crept inter his achin heart, "mebbe ye'd be willin to help a feller worm of the dust to make sumthin of hisself?"

"As how?"

"As to lendin me a gun and lettin me pop ye off that cayuse."

It grieved me to refuse him, but I had to do it. I broke the news to him as gently as I could and incouraged him to hope that the next feller might not hev anythink to live fur, but he was a stricken critter when I rode on and left him. When I got to Jerusalem Hill, I tried to induce the boss of the vigilance committee to send out and captur' the heartbroken man and hang him, but he turns on me with:

GRIEF WAS TUGGIN AT HIS HEART-STRINGS

"Hez he killed anybody as kin be named?"

"I don't think so."

"Hez he stole anybody's hoss or mewl or jumped a claim?"

"He hain't sayin as he has."

"Hain't ever dammed up a creek and tried to sell the water to perishin humanity at $1 a bar'l?"

"Reckon not, or he'd 'a' menshuned it."

"Then let him die of a broken heart or git hisself struck by lightnin, fur this committee hain't doin no one hoss bizness to risk its reputashun as a four hoss outfit!"

ALSTIN KELNE.

His Return Home.

"I know a man," says Mr. James W. Scott, "who recently went home from a club function at a scandalously late hour—or, if you please, an equally scandalously early hour. He had a wholesome regard for his better half, so he entered the house very dignifiedly, hung up his hat in its proper place and mounted the stairway to his apartment with exemplary precision. He struck a match softly, lighted the gas and was exceedingly cautious about disrobing and in placing his garments in just such order that his wife should have no possible occasion to reproach him next day. Indeed he conducted himself with that nice particularity which is not infrequently born of a consciousness that too much wine has been imbibed.

"Well, when he woke up and dressed and came down stairs his wife received him smilingly.

"'I watched you carefully,' said she, 'and I don't know that ever before you were so dignified and orderly. I was particularly charmed by the decency with which you put away your clothing.'

"'Yes,' said the husband proudly, 'I flatter myself that I did acquit myself handsomely for a man who had been out to dinner!'

"'Yes, my dear,' continued the wife, 'but there was one thing that I could not understand. Why did you light the gas in broad daylight?'"—Chicago Record.

A Witty Priest.

Father Healey of Bray is well known in Ireland as one of the few members of the priesthood who are opponents of the home rule movement. He has, too, the ready wit that is so characteristic of the Hibernian race. The other day an ardent Nationalist asked his reverence:

"What do you think Tim Healy will be in the first Irish parliament, father—lord chancellor, attorney general or what?"

"Sure, he'll be a very old man," was the prompt reply.—Munsey's Magazine.

The Professor's Delight.

The herr professor has prophesied bad weather, and sure enough it begins to rain about the time he said it would. He takes his hat and goes for a stroll in the park during the pelting shower, chuckling with delight and muttering to himself, "It is a real luxury to walk about in a shower of rain that you have prophesied yourself."—Fliegende Blatter.

The Difference In Climates.

"This rapid transportation of ours is dangerous," said the stranger at the Chicago hotel in July.

"How's that?" said the clerk?

"My friend left New York 24 hours ago, reached Chicago a few minutes ago, and now he's in bed with a chill."—Chicago Tribune.

Gas Not Needed.

Dentist—What! You don't want gas? You insisted upon having gas the last time.

Victim—You haven't been eating onions this time.—New York Weekly.

Delicate.

Briggs—I saw you in the barber shop yesterday.

Griggs—Why didn't you speak?

Briggs—I didn't like to interrupt the barber.—New York World.

CAST OUT,

the disorders, diseases, and weaknesses peculiar to women—by the prompt action of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It's a powerful, invigorating tonic, and a strengthening nervine. It brings relief for sleeplessness, backache and bearing-down sensations.

MRS. CORA CUMMINGS

MRS. CORA CUMMINGS of *No. 74 E. Yates St., Ithaca, N.Y.*, writes: "I took your Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription when I was run down and through the warm weather. It worked like a charm on my system and I am a good deal heavier in flesh now.

It is the best medicine in the world for 'female troubles,' for I took almost all kinds of Patent Medicines, and doctors' prescriptions without benefit. There is hardly a day [illegible] but that I recommend it to some of my lady friends."

PIERCE Guarantees a **CURE** OR MONEY RETURNED.

LOCATIONS OF FIRE ALARM BOXES

For the information of our readers we publish below a complete list of the numbers and locations of all the fire alarm boxes in this city:

14—Wickham ave., Cor. Prince, O. & W. R. R.
15—North street and Low avenue, hat shops.
16—North street and Wisner Ave., type shop.
17—Railroad Ave. and Montgomery St.
18—Grand avenue and Prince street.
23—Wickham avenue, corner Liberty street.
24—West Main street, corner West street.
25—North street, corner Wickham avenue.
26—James and Henry streets.
27—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
28—Lake avenue and West street.
29—W. Main street, corner Monhagen avenue.
213—State Hospital.
214—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
34—Fulton and Mill streets hat shops
35—High and Hanford streets.
36—Canal street, condensery.
37—Mulberry and Fulton streets.
41—Fulton street and East avenue
42—Academy and Houston avenues
43—E. Main street and Railroad avenue.
45—E. Main street, foot of Orchard street.
46—Academy avenue and Genung street.
47—Myrtle and Prospect avenues.
48—Grant street and Sprague avenue.
57—Franklin Square.

MIDDLETOWN TIME CARD.

The following is the time of departure of passenger trains from Middletown stations beginning June 17th, '94, and continuing until further notice:

N. Y., L. E. & W. RAILROAD.

EAST BOUND.

TO.	JAMES ST	MAIN ST
613, Chicago Express	4:30 a. m.	
610, Buffalo Express	6:01 "	
26, Middletown Way, T	6:24 "	6:36 a. m
16, Orange Co., G. M	7:10 "	7:12 "
28, Mountain Express	8:23 "	8:25 "
38, Del Valley Ex., G. M. P.	10:41 "	
6, Way Mail, G (ex. sunday)	12:59 p. m.	
2, Chicago Express	2:53 "	
20, Way, M. P. G. T.	4:48 "	4:45 p. m.
8 Chicago Limited	7:12 "	
218, Milk	7:53 "	
814, Wells-Fargo Express	10:40 "	
606, P. J. Jervis Local (Sun only)	8:15 a m	8:25 a m
620, Port Jervis Local	5:15 p m	
129, M. & C. Branch, arrive		8:13 a. m
130, M. & C. Branch, arrive		5:55 p. m

WEST BOUND.

617, Milk	7:47 a. m	
21, Port Jervis Way	10:29 "	10:35 a m
1, Day Express	11:25 "	
11, Port Jervis Local	1:01 p. m	1:01 p. m
22, Port Jervis Local	3:50 "	3:37 "
618, Chicago Limited	5:02 "	
27, Mountain Express	5:40 "	5:36 "
15, Orange County	6:50 "	6:40 "
25, Middletown Way, arrives	8:00 "	7:55 "
7, O. & G. T. Express	8:37 "	
29, Emigrant	9:40 "	
3, Chicago Express	11:12 "	
601, Pt. Jervis Way (Sun. only)	10:43a.m	10:40 a. m
625, " " "	3:19 p. m	3:16 p. m
617, " " "	9:42 "	
9101, M. & C. Branch train	11:35a.m	11:40 a m
5116, " " "		6:55 p. m

Trains marked with a † run daily. Trains Nos. 601, 606, 617, 620 and 625 runs Sunday only. All other trains daily except Sunday. †Train No. 5 will only stop for passengers for Binghamton or west thereof; due notification must be given at the ticket office. Trains with the following letters affixed, indicate connections, viz: "G," with Newburgh Branch via Greycourt; "T," with Newburgh Short Cut Branch, via Turners; "M," with Montgomery Branch; "P," with Pine Island Branch.

Passenger trains for Middletown leave foot of Chambers street, New York, at 4:15, 8:45, 9:15, 10:30 a. m.; 1:00, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, 50:30, 7:00, 8:45 p. m. Sundays only 12:30 p. m.

N. Y. O. & W. RAILROAD.

LEAVE WICKHAM AVENUE.

NORTH BOUND.

Milk	6:15 a. m
Day Express	10:55 "
Mountain Express	12:10 p. m
Saturday only	5:00 "
Sullivan County Express	6:00 "
Ulster County Express	7:30 "
Pacific Express	10:50 "

SOUTH BOUND.

Atlantic Express	6:30 a. m
Norwich Express	7:00 "
No. 8	8:05 "
Mountain Express	4:05 p. m
Day Express	4:30 "
No. 12	6:35 "
Sunday Special	6:50 "

C. R. FULLER,

WHOLESALE AND

Retail Lumber Dealer,

has superior facilities for furnishing builders and others with

MICHIGAN PINE LUMBER

of all grades, at bottom prices. A full assortment constantly on hand, also hemlock of all sizes, southern yellow pine, shingles, lath, moulding, etc. Windows, doors and blinds a specialty. Building paper and roofing felt always on hand. Sole agent for tin plate, steel plate, galvanized and copper shingles, the best metal shingle in the market.

A Carload of Red Cedar Shingles just received from State of Washington.

C. R. FULLER,
Lumber Yard, corner Depot and Foundry Sts.

HUMPHREYS' VETERINARY SPECIFICS

For Horses, Cattle, Sheep, Dogs, Hogs, AND POULTRY.

500 Page Book on Treatment of Animals and Chart Sent Free.

CURES { A. A.—Fevers, Congestions, Inflammations. B. B.—Spinal Meningitis, Milk Fever. C. C.—Strains, Lameness, Rheumatism. D. D.—Distemper, Nasal Discharges. E. E.—Bots or Grubs, Worms. F. F.—Coughs, Heaves, Pneumonia. G. G.—Colic or Gripes, Bellyache. H. H.—Miscarriage, Hemorrhages. I. I.—Urinary and Kidney Diseases. J. J.—Eruptive Diseases, Mange. K. K.—Diseases of Digestion, Paralysis.

Single Bottle (over 50 doses), - - .60
Stable Case, with Specifics, Manual, Veterinary Cure Oil and Medicator, $7.00
Jar Veterinary Cure Oil, - - 1.00

Sold by Druggists, or sent prepaid anywhere and in any quantity on receipt of price.
HUMPHREYS' MED. CO., 111 & 112 William St., New York.

HUMPHREYS' HOMEOPATHIC SPECIFIC No. 28

In use 30 years. The only successful remedy for **Nervous Debility, Vital Weakness,** and Prostration, from over-work or other causes. $1 per vial, or 5 vials and large vial powder, for $5. Sold by Druggists, or sent postpaid on receipt of price.
HUMPHREYS' MED. CO., 111 & 112 William St., New York.

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®
NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

KNOWLEDGE

Brings comfort and improvement and tends to personal enjoyment when rightly used. The many, who live better than others and enjoy life more, with less expenditure, by more promptly adapting the world's best products to the needs of physical being, will attest the value to health of the pure liquid laxative principles embraced in the remedy, Syrup of Figs.

Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect laxative; effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession, because it acts on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels without weakening them and it is perfectly free from every objectionable substance.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all druggists in 50 cent bottles, but it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on every package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

THIS SPACE

BELONGS TO

Casino Theatre Co.

Where the Casino Chart Can Be Found

The chart for the advance sale of tickets for the Casino Theatre will hereafter be found at Tuthill's pharmacy, [illegible] street. dt

Oklahoma's Handsome Female Horse Thief

GUTHRIE, O T, Aug. 9 — Governor Lowe has issued requisition papers on Governor Lewelling, of Kansas, for Mrs. Flora Maudis, alias "Tom King," the notorious female horse thief, who has been captured at Fredonia, Kan. There are a score of charges against her, and she has broken jail in the territory half a dozen times She is a very handsome and fascinating young lady of about 22 years.

Presidential Postmasters Rejected.

WASHINGTON Aug. 9.—The senate in executive session rejected the following postmasters nominated by the president: Jonas Shayne, Owego, N Y.; Treadwell B Kellum, Babylon, N. Y; Thomas H. Manion, Herkimer, N. Y; George F. Van Dam, Tomkinsville, N. Y There was a brief explanation by Senator Hill, and the nominations were rejected without taking a vote

Thieving Cashier Sentenced

KANSAS CITY Mo, Aug 9—Elmer C. Satterlee, cashier of the defunct Kansas City Safe Deposit and Savings bank, which failed last June, was last evening found guilty of receiving deposits when he knew the bank was insolvent, and was sentenced to four years imprisonment. An appeal was taken

Attempted Murder and Suicide.

CHICAGO, Aug. 9—James Restlin was quarreling with his wife and stepdaughter, and Joseph Stobich interfered on behalf of the women. Restlin drew a revolver and shot Stobich and then attempted to commit suicide. Both men will probably die.

Canada Farmers Nearly Starving.

MONTREAL, Aug. 9.—Advices received here by merchants state that the government has been asked to assist farmers in the Medicine Hat district, as crops are ruined and people nearly starving.

Sheriff Shot by Outlaws.

MEMPHIS, Aug. 9.—News has reached here that Sheriff Lamberson, of Smith county, was shot and fatally wounded in a battle between his posse and the notorious Cap Shaw gang of outlaws near Middletown, Tenn. Hundreds of men are pursuing the desperadoes.

A Bank Wrecker Pardoned.

ELMIRA, N. Y., Aug. 9.—President Cleveland has pardoned from the Elmira reformatory A L Gould, one of the brothers who were convicted of wrecking an Albany bank.

NUGGETS OF NEWS

Cholera has appeared in seventeen districts of Galicia and Bukowina

War in Corea has practically put a stop to Chinese immigration to Canada.

Dan Creedon, the Australian heavyweight, has accepted a challenge to fight Bob Fitzsimmons.

General James B Weaver was nominated for congress by the Democrats of the Ninth Iowa congressional district.

Albert M Todd, of Kalamazoo, was unanimously nominated for governor of Michigan by the Prohibition state convention

D E Parker, Populist candidate for governor of Arkansas, has not paid his poll tax, and is therefore ineligible to hold office in the state.

L Royal McMurrin, formerly a well known capitalist of St Paul, has been arrested in Memphis charged with the embezzlement of $3,000.

At Lebanon, Ind, Hansen Wesner was shot and killed by his father-in-law, James Livingston Wesner is a son of Lawyer C. W. Wesner, who was killed by J C Brown in the court room at Danville last year

Charged with Stealing Stamps.

NEW YORK, Aug 9—Lizzie McDermott was charged in the Jefferson Market police court with being concerned in the theft of $40,000 or $50,000 worth of stamps, foreign and rare, from the Scott Stamp and Coin company, of 18 West Twenty-third street. The girl was an employe of the company. She was held for trial. Other arrests will follow.

A Dowager Duchess Weds Again.

LONDON, Aug 9—The archbishop of Canterbury officiated yesterday at the marriage of Lord Egerton of Tatton and the Dowager Duchess of Buckingham and Chandos The ceremony took place in Lambeth palace, the archbishop's residence Lord Egerton of Tatton lost his first wife by death in 1892

Will Not Employ Foreigners.

INDIANA, Pa., Aug. 9.—The striking miners at Glen Campbell have called the strike off and will return to work at the rates offered by the company All the old men who did not take an active part in the strike will be given employment The foreign element will not be given employment

The Situation Serious at Omaha

OMAHA, Aug 9—The situation at the packing houses is more serious than heretofore The governor is here and has decided to employ the state troops unless the situation improves at once Strikers armed with clubs have prevented laborers from returning to work.

The Relay Racers Ahead of Time.

DANVILLE Ills, Aug 9—The Washington-Denver message by bicycle relay was delivered into the hands of the Danville Cycling club at 9:54 o'clock last night, being seventeen hours ahead of the schedule time

A Boy Drowned While Fishing.

CHESTER, Pa., Aug. 9.—James Kerns, the thirteen-year-old son of John Kerns, a foundryman at Eddystone was drowned while fishing in the dam back of the mills.

Pimples, boils and other humors of the blood are liable to break out in the warm weather. Prevent it by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

COUPON.

"America's Greatest Men and Women."

Parts Nos. 1 to 16.

DAILY ARGUS.

Bring or forward this coupon, together with ten cents, to the Coupon Department of the Argus, and there will be delivered or mailed to you, any one number of the series as above.

ON TOP OF MOUNT ARARAT.

Nothing but Snow Covers the Peak Where The Ark Was Moored.

"Mount Ararat has two tops, a few hundred yards apart, sloping on the eastern and western extremities into rather prominent abutments, and separated by a snow valley or depression from 50 to 100 feet in depth." Thus, in The Century, write Messrs. Allen and Sachtleben, the two young Americans who made a bicycle tour round the world.

"The eastern top, on which we were standing, was quite extensive, and 30 to 40 feet lower than its western neighbor. Both tops are hummocks on the huge dome of Ararat, like the humps on the back of a camel, on neither one of which is there a vestige of anything but snow.

"There remained just as little trace of the crosses left by Parrot and Chodzko as of the ark itself. We remembered the pictures we had seen in our nursery books, which represented this mountain top covered with green grass, and Noah stepping out of the ark in the bright, warm sunshine, before the receding waves, and now we looked around and saw this very spot covered with perpetual snow. Nor did we see any evidence whatever of a former existing crater, except perhaps the snow filled depression we have just mentioned. There was nothing about this perpetual snowfield, and the freezing atmosphere that was chilling us to the bone to remind us that we were on the top of an extinct volcano that once trembled with the convulsions of subterranean heat.

"The view from this towering height was immeasurably extensive and almost too grand. All detail was lost—all color, all outline. Even the surrounding mountains seemed to be but the excrescent ridges of the plain. Then, too, we could catch only occasional glimpses, as the clouds shifted to and fro. At one time they opened up beneath us and revealed the Aras valley, with its glittering ribbon of silver at an abysmal depth below. Now and then we could descry the black volcanic peaks of Ali Ghez 40 miles away to the northwest, and on the southwest the low mountains that obscured the town of Bayazid. Of the Caucasus, the mountains about Erzerum on the west and Lake Van on the south and even of the Caspian sea, all of which are said to be in Ararat's horizon, we could see absolutely nothing."

Business In China.

English merchants are in a very different position from that they occupied only 30 years ago. Then a partner in any of the great firms made a fortune in a few years. Now the volume of trade has not only steadily decreased, but prices have fallen to an almost unremunerative level. We have to face continental competition and notably that of the Germans. India and Japan send cotton and cotton goods, taking advantage of the cheapness of labor.

China to a large extent begins to grow its own opium, and the severe laws against smuggling are more rigidly enforced. On the other hand, the exports of tea are fast falling away, and we are actually importing tea into China. The Chinese tea gardens have been neglected, and the inferior qualities cannot compete with the more scientific cultivation in India and Ceylon. The government has never done anything for its tea growers, but partly apparently from sentiment and tradition it continues to foster the production of silk.

An article of import that has had an extraordinary impulse is kerosene oil. Formerly the Chinaman lighted his airy dwelling with the glimmer of a guttering tallow candle or of homemade rushlights. Now, frugal as he is, he almost universally indulges in the cheap luxury of a kerosene lamp.—Saturday Review.

A Letter From Henry Clay.

Mr. A. D. Hagans of Kingwood, W. Va., has carefully preserved an autograph which Henry Clay wrote him over half a century ago. It reads:

ASHLAND, 17th June, 1844.

DEAR SIR—Your friendly letter merits a respectful acknowledgment, but so extensive is my correspondence and so constant and various my occupations and engagements that I must be necessarily very brief. I am thankful for the good opinion you entertain of me. During a long and arduous life, now rapidly tending to a close, it has been a great support and a cheering consolation to me to enjoy the good opinion of good men. I have passed many hours in doubt, some almost in despair, of the power of truth and justice over falsehood and wrong. And yet the general inclination of my mind and feelings has been to cherish a belief of the human nature. And I still hope to live to witness the triumph of honesty, fidelity and patriotism. That you may enjoy a long, prosperous and happy life is the fervent wish of your friend and obedient,

H. CLAY.

Alpheus D. Hagans, Esq.

Food and Digestion.

One of the biggest mistakes about food which people make is to forget that the true value of food to anybody is the measure of its digestibility. Half a pound of cheese is vastly more nourishing, as regards its mere composition, than half a pound of beef, but while the beef will be easily digested, and thus be of vast service to us, the cheese is put out of court altogether for ordinary folks by reason of its indigestibility. We shall bear this rule in mind when we hear people comparing one food with another in respect of their chemical value.—New York Dispatch.

The Use of Contrast.

"Do you know," said Dicky Byrde to one of his friends at the club, "Miss Twinkens tells me she never fully appreciated good poetry until she read the sonnet I addressed to her."

"Yes," was the answer, "she told me the same thing."

"Did she, indeed?"

"Certainly. She also remarked that there was nothing like contrast to assist one in forming an opinion."—Washington Star.

One View of It.

The "great combinations" produced the other morning this rather elaborate example:

"Lif —A weekly paper which no one, from the foreman of the office to the smallest apprentice, knows but that he will lose his job before night."—Young's Companion.

WOMEN IN HOT WEATHER

How Can They Keep Cool, Comfortable and Happy.

"THE NICETIES OF LIFE."

A Prominent Lady Talks Upon the Subject and Gives Some Very Valuable Advice.

"Talk about suffering from the heat! Why, even children do not suffer so much in hot weather as women do!"

She was a prominent member of the Executive Committee of a Woman's Association that meets annually in New York, and she spoke very earnestly.

"No one but a woman can understand this; but all women know it. Every atom of a woman's body is governed by a law of its own, and hot weather seems to fight every one of these laws. A woman's sensitive nerves are outraged by the heat. Her blood gets warmed up when she wants to be cool. The hundreds of nice things which are necessary to her happiness get soiled, rumpled or unattractive in some way. All this frets, annoys and causes her unhappiness."

"I am willing to admit what you have said, but can you offer any suggestions?" asked one of the lady's companions.

"Yes, I can. I would have women avoid fretting and worrying; keep as cool as possible, and above all things be careful of what they eat and drink. The best food for any woman, or man either for that matter, during hot weather, is something that nourishes and strengthens, with little or no effort on the part of the stomach. The only thing that will do this in every case is an artificially digested food, one that is digested before being taken into the mouth; and I know of but one predigested food, and that is Paskola. I have used it carefully and find it all that is claimed for it. It is as palatable as lemonade. It refreshes instantly. It nourishes in every case, and being already digested requires no effort on the part of the stomach in order to insure its assimilation. I know a great many ladies in the highest walks of life and who move in the best society who are using it every day and who never felt so well, looked so well, or were so well in their lives as they are now. I do not know anything about how it is artificially digested, although I understand it is because its nourishing starchy elements are mixed with vegetable digestive principles, but I do know that, judging by its effects, it does more for women, and especially during hot weather, than anything that was ever before known."

The above conversation is just as it occurred in the rooms of the committee, and if it offers any suggestions to other ladies we shall be glad.

Any up-to-date druggist will furnish Paskola. If you want to know how it works, send for free pamphlet to the Predigested Food Co., 30 Reade street, New York.

American Cyclists Lead.

BIRMINGHAM, Aug 9—In the bicycle tournament yesterday Zimmerman, the American champion, won the ten mile professional scratch race, with Banker, of Pittsburg second, and Wheeler, of New York, fourth Zimmerman also captured the one mile international race. Banker came in second, but was disqualified. Wheeler was sixth.

New York's First Dairy Commissioner.

UTICA, N. Y, Aug 9.—Hon. Josiah K. Brown died at his home in Holland Patent, this county, after years of illness, with Bright's disease, aged 51. He held a number of public positions, and when the office of state dairy commissioner was created Mr Brown was the first incumbent, being appointed by Governor Grover Cleveland.

Iron Workers on Strike in Wilmington.

WILMINGTON, Del., Aug. 9—Seventy-five workmen employed by the McCullough Iron company went on strike yesterday for an increase of 10 per cent. in wages. The men were earning from $2.50 to $2.75 per day, and the company officials say they will not take them back.

An Anarchist Exiled.

BRUSSELS, Aug 9—Cypriani, the Italian anarchist, who was accused of plotting with ex Deputy De Felice and Pietro Cassel during the troubles in Sicily recently, has been ordered to leave the city. He will go to London

For Over Fifty Years.

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used by millions of mothers for their children while teething. If disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of Cutting Teeth send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for Children Teething. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures Diarrhœa, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the Gums and reduces Inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Price twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP."

The usual treatment of catarrh is very unsatisfactory, as thousands can testify. Proper local treatment is positively necessary to success, but many, if not most, of the remedies in general use afford but temporary relief. A cure certainly cannot be expected from snuffs, powders, douches and washes. Ely's Cream Balm, which is so highly commended, is a remedy which combines the important requisites of quick action, specific curative power, with perfect safety and pleasantness to the patient. The druggists all sell it.

STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKETS.

Closing Quotations of the New York and Philadelphia Exchanges.

NEW YORK Aug 8.—Speculation on the Stock Exchange today was marked by increased activity, and the movement of prices resulted in the establishment of a higher range of values in almost every stock traded in, the only notable exception in the active list being Sugar, and in the inactive shares Ohio Southern. Closing bids:

Lehigh Valley	37¾	W N Y & Pa	6¾
Pennsylvania	49	Erie	14¼
Reading	18¼	D, L & W	166
St Paul	60¼	West Shore	103½
Lehigh Nav	50¾	N Y Central	98¾
N Y & N E 2d pf	13¾	Lake Erie & W	15¾
New Jersey Cen	100¾	Del & Hudson	134¾

General Markets

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 8.—Flour steadily held: winter super., $2.10@2 25; winter extras, $2.25 @2.40; No 2 winter family $2 40@2 50; Pennsylvania roller, straight, $2 50@2 70; western winter clear, $2 40@2 65 Wheat dull, lower, with 57c bid and 57½c asked for August. Corn unsettled, lower, with 44c bid and 45c asked for August Oats weaker with 38¼c. bid and 39¼c. asked for August Beef firm; family, $10@12; extra mess, $8 Pork firm, active; new mess, $14 50@14 75; family $15; short clear, $14 50@15 50 Butter steady; western dairy, 12½@16c; western creamery, 14@ 23c, Elgins, 23c; Pennsylvania creamery prints fancy, 24c; do choice, 23c; do fair to good 20@22c; prints jobbing at 25@28c. Cheese quiet, large, 7½@8½c; small, 7½@9¼c; part skims 3@6; full skims 2@2½c Eggs firm; New York and Pennsylvania 14¼@15c; western 13@14c; cases $1@3

Live Stock Markets

NEW YORK, Aug 8—Beeves lower; native grass fed and corn fed steers, common to prime, $4@5.90, choice, $6 25; "stillers," common to choice, $3 75@5.85 Calves steady; poor to prime veals, $4@5.25; buttermilk calves, $2 25@2.50 Sheep steady, lambs lower; poor to prime sheep, $3@4 25; common to choice lambs, $3.75@5 25 Hogs higher; choice hogs, $6 75.

EAST LIBERTY, Pa., Aug 8—Cattle market steady, unchanged; prime, $4.40@4.65; good butchers, $3 40@4 55; bulls, stags and cows $1 50@3. Hogs steady and unchanged Sheep market steady; extra, $3 40@3 60; good, $3@ 3.20, common, 50c @$1 25; lambs, $2 50@4.

New York Produce Market

NEW YORK, Aug. 9th, '94.

BUTTER—Receipts for week, 38,192 packages; exports for week, .. tubs.

Creamery, tubs or pails, extra	23	@
Do., firsts	21½	@
State Dairy, half firkin tubs and pails, fresh, extra	21	@
Do., firsts	18	@20
Do., seconds		@
State Dairy, Welsh tubs, extra		@
Do., firsts		@
Western Dairy, firsts	15	@16
Do., seconds	12½	@14
Western Factory, extra	14½	@15½
Do., firsts	12	@13

CHEESE—Receipts for week, 48,182 boxes; exports, 24 706 boxes.

State Factory, full cream, fancy	8¾	@
Full Cream, fine	8¼	@ 8¾
State Factory, skims	3	@ 5¾

POULTRY AND GAME—

LIVE POULTRY.

Chickens, per pound	11½	@12
Roosters, per pound	6	@
Fowls, per pound	10	@
Do., western, per pound		@
Turkeys, per pound	7	@ 9
Ducks, per pair	45	@75
Geese, per pair	90	@1 25

DRESSED POULTRY.

Chickens, per pound	17	@19
Turkeys, per pound	7	@ 9
Fowls, State and Jersey, per pound	8	@ 9
Ducks, per pound	7	@13

EGGS—Receipts for week, 43,470 cases and .... barrels.

State and Pennsylvania, per dozen	15	@
Western, per dozen	13	@14

FRUITS AND BERRIES—

Apples, per barrel	75@2	25
Plums, per quart	7@	9
Blackberries, per quart	7@	14
Huckleberries, per quart	6@	10
Grapes, per pound	4@	10

VEGETABLES—

Potatoes, per barrel	1 50@2	12
Cabbage, per 100	4 00@7	00
Onions, per barrel	1 60@2	50
Tomatoes, per box	30@1	00
Cucumbers, per 100	50@	75
Green Corn, per 100	40@1	50

SUNDRIES—

Bees-wax, per pound		@
Maple sugar, per pound		@

MILK—The surplus on the railroad platform has been sold at $1.25 a can of 40 quarts.

On and after Aug 10th, the Exchange price will be 2½ cents a quart.

Names Railroads	Cans Fond Milk	Cans Condensed	Cans Cream
N. Y., L. E. & W. R. R.	4,100	31	220
N. Y., O. & W. Railroad	4,693	...	320
D., L. & W.	5,040	...	30
Susquehanna & Western	1,641	9	84
Harlem Railroad	1,493	77	6
N. Y. & N. H. Railroad	915	...	...
West Shore Railroad	1,295	75	40
New York & Putnam R. R	915	...	...
New Jersey Central	135	...	10
Miscellaneous	175	...	60
Total	21,477	192	840

Hood's Cures.

"I deem it a duty as well as a pleasure to give my testimony in favor of Hood's Sarsaparilla. It has cured my night sweats, kidney trouble and indigestion. My husband also had catarrh, but since taking Hood's Sarsaparilla he seems entirely cured."—MRS. W. S. OSTERHOUT, Newburgh, N. Y.

Hood's Pills cure sick headache.

Haskell's Dyspepsia Tablets

Are a certain cure for all forms of dyspepsia. Have never been known to fail. Pleasant to take and acceptable to the most delicate stomach. Distressed feeling after eating, flatulence, lump in the throat, sour or irritable stomach, sick headache, nausea, vomiting, car sickness, sea sickness, liver troubles, dizziness, bad complexion, dysentery, offensive breath, and all disorders of the stomach, liver and bowels, sleeplessness, summer complaint, nervous exhaustion, late suppers, or over indulgence in stimulants perfectly cured by Haskell's Dyspepsia Tablets. The nutrition of the body depends not alone upon the food but its proper digestion. Haskell's Dyspepsia Tablets perform this work pleasantly, perfectly, harmlessly; they also act as a general tonic for the system.

HASKELL'S LITTLE GEM PILLS cure constipation and biliousness. If you cannot get them at your druggists send 25c. direct to the proprietor and receive a bottle by return mail. Prepared only by

Dr. HASKELL,

7 West 42d Street, New York.

SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR

Better Than Pills

"As old as the hills" and never excelled. "Tried and proven" is the verdict of millions. Simmons Liver Regulator is the only Liver and Kidney medicine to which you can pin your faith for a cure. A mild laxative, and purely vegetable, acting directly on the Liver and Kidneys. Try it. Sold by all Druggists in Liquid, or in Powder to be taken dry or made into a tea.

The King of Liver Medicines.

"I have used your Simmons Liver Regulator and can conscientiously say it is the king of all liver medicines. I consider it a medicine chest in itself.—GEO. W. JACKSON, Tacoma, Washington.

EVERY PACKAGE Has the Z Stamp in red on wrapper.

99 Cents

a pair for our regular

$1.25 Misses' Tan Shoes!

button or lace. Remember, prices reduced on summer goods. It pays to follow the footprints to

C. D. HANFORD'S,

43 North St.

CANCERS

Tumors and malignant growths, both internal and external, PERMANENTLY CURED without KNIFE or CAUSTIC. This treatment has stood the test of 25 YEARS' experience, and is indorsed by prominent physicians of all schools of medicine. FIRST-CLASS REFERENCES to permanent cures that will bear investigation. Ask for circular.

E. G. JONES, M. D., Ph. D.,
1yeodMch6 34 Fair St., Paterson, N. J.

MOXON'S LINIMENT

is used and recommended by the leading horsemen and trainers of the country. I have just received a fresh supply. Ask for a sample.

F. M. PRONK.

BEST GRADES

OF

Flour, Grain, Hay and Mill Feeds.

C. J. EVERSON,

Successor to Geo. L. Everson, 4 and 6 King street.

THE VERDICT

of all who use Studebaker Vehicles is that they meet every requirement — Well made, easy riders, lightest running and most durable. The fact is, for excellency, style and service, the STUDEBAKER WAGONS, CARRIAGES, etc., are never surpassed and seldom equalled; 25 highest awards at the World's Fair. We carry in stock a very complete and elegant line of them.

THE DRAKE & DEWITT CO.

AGTS STUDEBAKER BROS. M'F'G. CO.
H. R. [illegible] WARD, General Agent.

Don't Have Your Horses Eaten Up

by flies, when you can buy a Blanket for 50c., Lap Dusters, in all colors and styles, from 15 cents up. Harness in all styles and all prices. Come and look at them before you buy elsewhere.

EMIL E. E. RAASCH,
19 NORTH ST MIDDLETOWN.

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®
NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®

DAILY ARGUS.

C. MACARDELL, PUBLISHER.

GEORGE H. THOMPSON, C. MACARDELL, } EDITORS
J. F. ROBINSON, CITY EDITOR
A. E. NICKINSON, BUSINESS MANAGER

THURSDAY, AUGUST 9, 1894.

Josiah K. Brown, who was Dairy Commissioner during the administrations of Governors Cleveland and Hill, and who rendered the farmers of the State important service by his efforts to prevent the sale of oleomargarine and adulterated milk, died, Tuesday, at his home in Holland Patent, aged sixty-one years.

Chicago real estate men say that as a result of the strike riots nearly $2,000,000 of eastern capital, sent to that city for investment on bond and mortgage, has been recalled. Capital, always timid, will not seek investment in a city unable or unwilling to protect itself against mob violence.

At the Cayuga county fair Gov. Flower, Gov. McKinley and Francis E. Baldwin, the Prohibition candidate for Governor, are announced to deliver addresses. Each speaker is expected to hold forth on politics, and the farmers of Cayuga and adjoining counties will have a chance to hear the aims, purposes and principles of the different parties s t forth by representative men.

Typhoid fever has broken out again in Montclair, N. J., and there were, yesterday, twelve cases of the disease within the village limits, and it is feared that the epidemic may become as violent as it was in May, when it caused nearly fifty deaths in the village. In Bloomfield, N. J., seven cases of the disease and one death have been reported. The health authorities of neither place have been able to trace the disease to its source.

Col. Breckinridge's campaign is in such a bad way that he has taken his wife to Kentucky in the hope, apparently, that because of her presence there the severity of the attacks upon him may be mitigated. In other words, he is willing to put his wife forward as a shield and hopes to skulk behind her. Breckinridge, during and since the Pollard trial, has been anything but a popular idol, but he has never appeared in such an odious and shameful relation as when he puts his wife, whom he has so cruelly wronged and deceived, between himself and the consequences of his fault.

RUNAWAY AT MECHANICTOWN.

"Dune" Brown's Mustang Causes a General Smash Up.

Passengers on the electric cars at Mechanictown about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon were witnesses of a runaway in which "Dune." Brown narrowly escaped serious injury if not death.

His horse became frightened at something just after he had left Bellinger's Hotel and dashed up the road. At the intersection of the road to Stony Ford, the electric wire scaffold wagon which stood there increased the horse's fright and he swerved badly, throwing a young man who was in the wagon over a stone wall, and before the horse could be straightened out in the road to cross the bridge, the entire outfit collided with the right hand railing of the structure.

The horse, a black mustang, quickly kicked itself loose from the wagon and ran up the road toward Middletown. Mr. Brown was thrown violently against the railing, but beyond a few bruises was not seriously hurt. A margin of two feet was all that saved the whole rig from plunging into the brook, a fall of at least six feet, over jagged stones.

The young man who was pitched over the stone wall, escaped without a scratch.

FIRST EXCURSION TO MIDWAY.

North Street Congregational and Rockville Sunday Schools Picnicking at the Park—The First Trip Through the Glen

The first excursion to Midway Park was run this morning when 118 members of the North Street Congregational and Rockville Sunday Schools started on their picnic.

The company only agreed to carry them to Mechanictown, but made a temporary connection of the wire and ran the cars almost to the highway near the park.

The excursionists were ferried over the river on the raft by Jack Litz

The weather was threatening, this morning, but the clouds cleared away and doubtless all are having a good time.

WURTSBORO

Correspondence ARGUS AND MERCURY.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Church, of this place, will hold their annual fair and festival on the afternoons and evenings of Aug. 14 and 15th. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

REPUBLICAN FACTIONAL FEUDS.

Bliss-Paterson Faction Recognized as Regular in New York County.

By United Press.

NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—The Republican State Committee, to-day, adopted the report of the sub-committee recognizing the Bliss-Paterson faction as regular in New York city and recommending a new enrollment.

In Syracuse neither faction is recognized, the inspectors and clerks being divided between the rival organizations.

THE TARIFF SITUATION.

Conferees Had Not Agreed at Noon, But Expected to Reach an Agreement.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—Up to noon the conferees on the tariff had not agreed. Members of the conference committee claim that an agreement will surely be reached to-day.

After the adjournment of the conferees for lunch, to-day, Senators Vest, Jones, Gorman and Murphy had a conference.

Mr. McMillan, one of the conferees, denies the report that the President is dissatisfied with the arrangements arrived at, yesterday, and insists on free coal.

THE BRITANNIA'S DAY.

The Vigilant Defeated in the Race for the Cowes' Purse

COWES, August 9.—Vigilant and Britannia, under a stiff westerly breeze started in a race to-day for a purse of $500 offered by the town of Cowes.

The Britannia won. The finishing time was Britannia 3:18:07, Vigilant 3.20:20.

SHOT AND KILLED HER PLAYMATE

By United Press

BRIDGEPORT, Pa., Aug. 9.—Lizzie Daniels, aged fourteen, shot and killed Mary Weaver during a quarrel, last evening, about a swing.

DATE OF DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

By United Press.

SARATOGA, Aug. 9.—The Democratic State Committee has succeeded in obtaining the convention hall for September 25th and 26th, and the State convention will be called for those dates.

Saved from Burial Alive.

August Vandervelde, two years old, after being sick several days, of Passaic, N. J., apparently died Monday night. An undertaker prepared the body for burial, but did not embalm it or place it on ice and, Tuesday evening, when placing the body in the casket found it still warm. Satisfied that life was not extinct, he had the parents summon a doctor, and the child was soon restored to life and may perhaps recover.

Erie's Rockaway Excursion.

The steamer Grand Republic will meet the Erie's special train, Sunday, Aug. 12th, at Jersey City and take the excursionists direct to Rockaway Beach, thus avoiding transfer through New York. Returning will land them at the station in Jersey City. The fare for the round trip to Rockaway Beach is $1 25 and to New York city $1.00, tickets good only on special train in both directions.

Recorder's Court.

—David Graham, a farm hand from White Lake, was fined three dollars for intoxication.

—Chas. Godfrey was sentenced to pay a fine of $10 or serve thirty days in Goshen Jail, for a similar offense. The fine was paid.

BRIDGEVILLE.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—Rev J. C. Hoyt, of Monroe, N. Y., is here on a short vacation. Mr. Hoyt owns a farm just down the river from the bridge and during the hot summer weeks the family is generally found there.

—Mr. Budd and family have vacated the house recently purchased by Dr. Lindridge, of Brooklyn, and the doctor's mother now occupies it.

—Two brothers, who had some rum aboard, the other day, made things lively at their mother's home in this village. One endeavored to burn the house by throwing kerosene about and then setting fire to it. He was thrown to the floor by the other brother, who severely kicked and pounded him. No arrests were made. The neighbors were called in to quiet the disturbance.

—The children of our Sunday School enjoyed a picnic, Wednesday, at Edwards Island, one mile up the river. The Hurleyville Sunday School was expected to join, but, owing to the scarcity of teams to bring the little ones over, but one load of adults managed to be present.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents a box. For sale by McMonagle & Rogers.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Jane Lindsey.

Mrs. Jane, wife of William Lindsey, died, this morning, at 1 o'clock, at her late residence, on Houston avenue, in her seventy-third year. The immediate cause of death was heart failure, brought on by disease of the liver. She had been an invalid for many years, and during a greater part of the time had been confined to her bed. At times she had been a great sufferer, but always bore her troubles with Christian fortitude and resignation. She was conscious to the last, and often remarked that her time would soon come to go home to her Master.

Although very sick, her physician did not realize her danger, and during Wednesday thought she was even better.

A consultation was held on Monday, and the doctors thought she would hold her own for some time yet.

What makes her death doubly sad is the fact that her husband and daughter are in Europe, whither they went three weeks ago by the advice of their physician. They hesitated very little in going away, as her sickness at the time seemed to be nothing unusual. Her disease, however, took a more serious turn, and although everything was done that medical skill could do, she gradually grew worse and died as above stated.

Mrs. Lindsey was born in Trowbridge, England, and came to this country with her parents about 1847. She was the fourth child of John and Hannah Rogers, who settled near Liberty, Sullivan county.

Soon after her arrival in America she was married to William Lindsey in Liberty. They moved to Middletown in 1858.

The deceased is survived, besides her husband, by two sons and one daughter, F. J., and A. R Lindsey, the builders, and Miss Mary Lindsey, all of this city. A son, Harvey S, died in 1865. She is also survived by a brother, William Rogers, of California, and a sister, Mrs. Ann Randall, of Liberty.

The funeral services will be held at her late residence, Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 15 North street, Middletown, N. Y. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

New York, Aug 9, '94

	High	Low	Close
Sugar	107	105⅝	105⅞
A. T. & S. F.	4⅜	4⅛	4⅜
C. B. & Q.	72⅛	71⅜	71⅞
Chicago Gas	75⅜	74⅛	74⅜
D. L. & W.	166¾	166½	166¾
Dis & Cat. F.	18⅞	18⅛	18⅜
Erie	14⅜	14⅛	14⅜
General Electric	38	37	37⅝
L. & N.	63⅛	50⅝	62
L. S.	130	130	130
M. P.	27⅜	27⅛	27⅜
N. Y. & N. E.	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜
N. Y. C.	98⅜	98⅛	98⅜
N. W.	104⅜	104⅛	104⅜
N. P. Pfd.	15⅝	15⅜	15⅜
O. & W.	16⅜	16⅛	16⅛
Nat. Lead	42	41	42
R. T.	16⅜	16⅛	16⅜
P. & R.	18⅜	18	18⅛
R. I.	64⅞	64⅝	64⅝
C. M. & St. P.	60⅝	60⅛	60⅛
U. P.	9⅜	8⅞	9⅛
W. Union	88⅛	87⅛	88⅞
U. S. Cordage	22	21⅜	21⅜
Manhattan	116⅜	115⅞	116⅛
Sept. Wheat	57⅛	56⅛	56⅜
Sept. Corn	59	55⅝	56⅛
Sept. Oats	33	32⅛	32⅛
Sept. Pork	$13 30	$13 20	$13 30
Sept. Lard	7 30	7 27	7 30

DIED.

LINDSEY—In this city, Aug. 9th, '94, Jane, wife of William Lindsey, in her seventy-third year.
Funeral Sunday afternoon, at three o'clock, at her late residence, 30 Houston avenue.

CHANDLER—In this city, Aug. 8th, '94, Henry W. Chandler, aged seventy-seven years, fifteen days.
Funeral Friday, from his late residence, No. 3 Linden avenue, at two-thirty o'clock. Interment in Hillside Cemetery.

After Scarlet Fever

My little son Lemuel, was left with a gathering in his head and a large swelling on one side of his neck, which caused his head to be drawn over towards one shoulder. This continued for some time, and all we could do and all the doctor's medicine we could give him, were of no use. But we began to give him Hood's Sarsaparilla, and after taking only one bottle he was perfectly cured, and has been in good health ever since. My faith in Hood's

Lemuel Atkins, Jr.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

Sarsaparilla is so strong that I recommend it to every one I can. It is our every day medicine. LEMUEL W. ATKINS, Warwarsing, N. Y.

N. B. If you decide to take Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to buy any other.

Hood's Pills give universal satisfaction. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

5
Cts. a Pound
FOR
Best Soda Crakers.
-SLOAT'S-
Cash Store.

CARSON & TOWNER.

Onyx Black Hosiery!

IS THE KIND TO BUY.

Over sixteen million pairs have been sold.

Prices from 25 cents to $2.50 per pair. We are agents.

Our Kid Glove and Hosiery Departments are interesting at all times.

CARSON & TOWNER,
No. 11 WEST MAIN STREET, MIDDLETOWN

Our Clearing Sale a Grand Success.

We are closing out lots of goods, which gives us money and room for our new fall stock which will arrive in proper time. To the balance of our stock we have added SEVERAL DOZEN cheap SWEATERS, for boys and men, running in price 25, 30 and 45 cents. They are bargains.

HATS, HATS, HATS!

Merchant Tailoring Department

Our special inducement to those wishing a Suit or Extra Trousers made, has given us plenty of work and our men busy through the dull season. We still have a good selection of Foreign and Domestic Goods. Remember now is your time to buy a complete stock of Gents Furnishings.

JOHN E. ADAMS,
Leading Hatter, Clothier, Merchant Tailor and Gents' Furnisher
No. 41 North Street, Middletown.

What's in a Name?

Everything. It is either a guarantee of the best kind, or a notice that the purchaser is buying at his own risk.

Just so with clothing. How much safer and more comfortable you feel wearing clothing sold under the name of a reputable dealer. If it is not what you want, you know where to go to get your money back.

Our clothing is sold under our own name, with our reputation behind it. It is sold cheaply, too, especially at this season of the year.

Isaac Lipfeld.

25 North street.

We are Showing Several Lines of Goods,

bought at "Trade Auction Sales," at special rates. We note

1 Case INDIA TWILLS 7½c.
worth 15 cents

1 CASE CHAMBREYS 5 CENTS.
worth 10 cents.

20 Pieces Outings 6c.,
worth 10 cents

20 PIECES OUTINGS 8 CENTS,
worth 12½ cents.

We open, to-day, 1 case fast black Imported Hose (Smith & Angell's), 16 cents, worth 25 cents.

Inspect our Storm Serge (navy and black), at $2.69 per dress.

Our stock of Ladies' Shirt Waists is still full. We are cutting prices.

H. E. Churchill & Co.,
39 NORTH ST.

JOHN A. WALLACE, Agt.

desires to inform his friends and the public generally, that he has established a

Coal Yard at No. 14 Railroad Avenue,

where will be found the finest grades of PITTSTON, LEHIGH and CUMBERLAND COAL, at lowest market prices. Give me a call.

W. L. DOUGLAS $3 SHOE IS THE BEST. NO SQUEAKING.

$5. CORDOVAN, FRENCH & ENAMELLED CALF.
$4. $3.50 FINE CALF & KANGAROO
$3.50 POLICE, 3 SOLES.
$2.50 $2. WORKINGMENS EXTRA FINE.
$2. $1.75 BOYS' SCHOOL SHOES.
LADIES.
$3. $2.50 $2 $1.75
BEST DONGOLA.
SEND FOR CATALOGUE
W. L. DOUGLAS, BROCKTON, MASS.

You can save money by purchasing W. L. Douglas Shoes.

Because, we are the largest manufacturers of advertised shoes in the world, and guarantee the value by stamping the name and price on the bottom, which protects you against high prices and the middleman's profits. Our shoes equal custom work in style, easy fitting and wearing qualities. We have them sold everywhere at lower prices for the value given than any other make. Take no substitute. If your dealer cannot supply you, we can. Sold by

C. D. HANFORD.

J. M. PHILLIPS,
successor to L. R. GARRISON.
City Market, Corner North and Orchard Streets.

All kinds of Fresh and Salt Meats, Fresh, Salt and Smoked Fish, Vegetables, Canned Goods, Oysters, Clams, etc. A full supply of Lyon Brook Cheese on hand.

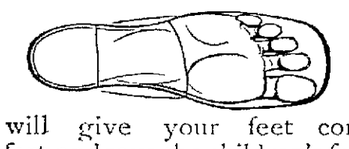
39dlyJan22 J. M PHILLIPS.

WE ARE HEADQUARTERS FOR KINDLING WOOD.

Having 10 different kinds. Cut to order at short notice; also a few bean polen and fence posts for sale. We clean all kinds of carpets, rugs, matting, etc. Orders left at Hoyt & Galloway's, J. E. Corwin's grocery, D. W. Babcock's, or at the Middletown Steam Carpet Cleaning Works, corner Fulton street and Sprague avenue.

E. H. GREGORY.

THE Coward Good Sense Shoe,



will give your feet comfort and save the children's feet. Send for Catalogue.

Sold only at Factory and Sales Stores, 270 and 272 Greenwich St., New York City.

JAMES T. KING,
Druggist and Pharmacist,
CORNER MAIN AND SOUTH STS.

PURE DRUGS AND MEDICINES, CAREFUL ATTENTION GIVEN TO COMPOUNDING PRESCRIPTIONS

HANFORD & HORTON.

LOTS OF GOOD THINGS

for summer comfort, whether at home or away. There are Hammocks, full size, only 65 cents and upwards.

Tennis, Croquet and Base Ball supplies.

Convenient things in the way of Fountain Pens, Drinking Cups, Flasks, Baggage Tags, Pocketbooks, Card Cases, Writing Tablets and Stationery in handy shape

School Furniture, Blackboard Slating and things of that kind.

Hanford & Horton,
6 North Street.

SPECIAL PRICES
ON
One Lot of Misses' Russet SHOES!
in A., B., C., D. and E. widths, for
$1.49 REDUCED FROM $2.00.

Ladies' white canvas Oxfords $1.59, former price $2.

Now is your chance to secure all kinds of summer footwear at reduced prices.

S. BURNETT,
8 EAST MAIN ST., MIDDLETOWN, N. Y.
NEW YORK STORES { 495 8th Ave. / 27 Ave A.

SEASONABLE SELLERS
AT
The South Side Store.

Large 10 cent Mackerel at 7 cents
Fifteen cent tins Spiced Sardines 10 cents.
Fifteen cent packages Oat Flakes 10 cents.
New crop Japan, Oolong and Young Hyson Tea at 25c. a pound, worth 40 cents.
Other Teas from 15c. to 50c. per pound

J. E. CAMPBELL.
N B.—Every car stops at my door.

TURNIP SEED.

Yellow Stone and Strap Leaf.

"Death on Cattle Fly"

25 cents for 1 pound boxes. Protect your cattle from the Texas and other flies. It will repay you severalfold by an increased supply of milk.

J. ERSKINE MILLS,
DRUGGIST, — — NORTH ST

Furniture and Wall Paper

In making your selection, get something sensible and useful, and JACOB GROH, East Main street, next to the Congregational Church, has just exactly what you want. Patent rockers, handsome rockers, beautiful camp chairs, comfortable upholstered chairs, and all the useful and beautiful articles that go to make up the stock of a first class furniture store. All very cheap, as my expenses are but a fraction of North street dealers, and I give my customers the benefit. Remember the place.

JACOB GROH,
Next to Congregational Church, East Main St

CLOTHING BUYERS

Do not take any chances in buying of us, as you will find us here at any time ready to make good all we guarantee.

Men's All Wool Suits $4.25.
Men's Pants from 38c. up.
Children's Suits 75c. up
Children' Pants 12c. up.
Boys' Suits $3.49 up.

Better grades of clothing greatly reduced. Buy your goods of home dealers and do not be faked by strangers. Look for the One Price Blue Front Clothing Store, 10 North street.

MORRIS B. WOLF.

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®
NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®

Special Sale,

All This Week,

ON THE REMAINDER OF OUR

CHINESE MATTINGS

AT

50c. on the Dollar

to close them out. These are genuine bargains. Another invoice of those beautiful Rattan and Plush Chairs and Rockers. They do not stay with us long at the prices we ask for them. Don't forget our $1.89 Rocker; it can't be beat. We are offering bargains in all departments. Come in and look us over.

THE

C. E. Crawford Furniture Co.

44-46 North Street.

A DASH OF TOILET WATER from a good Spray-Atomizer, is delightfully refreshing these hot days. Do you know we are selling excellent Spray-atomizers for toilet use at 50 cents?

As to Toilet Waters, here's our list:

Florida—Violet—Sweet Briar and Lavender Waters — all high in quality—low in price. A little of these Toilet Waters added to Monhagen water improves it for bathing the face and hands.

Toilet Waters were kept up at old war prices until we made them and cut the price in two. Toilet Waters are intended for liberal use and can't stand high prices

McMonagle & Rogers, Druggists.

YOU BRUSH YOUR TEETH—OF COURSE YOU DO

Then you should use our Ivory Tooth Wash. We make it—it's harmless—it's pleasant. It whitens the teeth, sweetens the breath and leaves a CLEAN taste in the mouth.

McMonagle & Rogers, Druggists.

Received the highest award, Medal and Diploma, at the World's Columbian Exposition, Chicago, Ill., 1893.

Royal Worcester W&B Corsets

Styles and Prices for everybody. We make a specialty of these corsets.

C. W. FANCHER & CO.,

7 West Main Street.

DAILY ARGUS.

OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9—Rain, followed by fair, cooler; northerly winds.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day:

7 a. m., 72°; 12 m., 82°; 3 p. m., 82°.

AMUSEMENTS AND RECREATIONS.

—Aug. 10—Prof. Henderson's emancipation picnic, at Maennerchor Park.
—Aug. 11—Trotting at Pine Bush.
—Aug. 12 Erie excursion to Rockaway Beach
—Aug. 12—Lecture by Rev. Lyman Ward, at Assembly Rooms.
—Aug. 13—Brighton Athletic Club vs. Asylums, on Hospital grounds.
—Aug 14—Picnic of First Baptist Church, at Midway Park.
—Aug. 15—Orange Blossoms' picnic, at Warwick
—Aug 15—Mapes family picnic, at Webb's Park.
—Aug. 15—Twenty-eighth annual picnic of Middletown Division, No. 1, A. O. H., at Maennerchor Park.
—Aug. 16—Annual clam bake of Millard Division, O. R. C. at Livingston Manor.
—Aug. 16—Quarterly meeting Y. P. S. C. E., Mount Hope.
—Aug. 21 24—Middletown Horsemen's Association races, at Campbell track.
—Aug. 22—Clam bake of Merchants' Protective Association, at Livingston Manor.
—Aug. 25—Grand opening of Midway Park.
—Aug. 25—Lecture by Rev. J. D. Crosby, at Assembly Rooms.
—Aug. 31—Opening of the season, Casino Theater, Spider and Fly.
—Sept. 3—Erst-s Deutsches Volks Fest, at Maennerchor Park.
—Sept. 4—Sullivan county fair, at Monticello
—Sept. 4—Forepaugh's circus.
—Sept. 6—Clam bake, K. of P., Midway Park
—Sept. 11—Prohibition rally, Midway Park.
—Sept. 18-21—Orange county fair, at Newburgh.
—Sept. 26—Tenth Legion re-union, at Matteawan.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

—See adv. of Paskola on third page.
—Lactated Food for infants and invalids.
—See card of Alice L. Krom, clairvoyant.
—Ninety-nine cents a pair for misses' tan shoes at Chas. D. Hanford's.
—First-class goods, for Friday and Saturday, at Bull & Youngblood's.
—Special sale, Friday, of shirt waists and hosiery, at the New York Store.
—"Prices on everything away down" at A. T. Snyder's.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Brighton Athletics vs. Asylums, Monday, August 13th.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Young Ladies' Auxiliary of Terall Hospital will held beat the hospital, to-morrow, Friday afternoon, at 4 o'clock.

—Special rates will be secured for those who wish to go to Orange with the Asylums, Saturday, if they will notify the the Secretary or the Manager of the club.

—A car on the Midway Park line was derailed on the O and W. bridge, this morning. No damage was done, no one was hurt and the motorman soon had the car back on the track.

—The Brighton Athletics will visit Middletown, Monday, August 13th, and play a game of ball with the Asylums. This will be the second appearance here of the Brightons this season, they having been defeated on a previous visit by a score of 6 to 4.

—John P. Koch lost a valuable seven-year-old horse, last night. The animal showed symptoms of wind colic early in the evening and Dr. Sutcliffe was summoned. Every thing possible was done but after several hours of suffering the animal died. A large crowd of spectators gathered in the stable yard of Wood & Baldwin to watch the suffering horse.

PERSONAL.

—Mr. R. P. Purdy, a former Middletowner, was in town, to-day.

—Master John Iseman went to Walton, this morning, for a visit.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Hill, of Grand avenue, are visiting at Matamoras.

—Mr. Ed. Jakely is confined to his bed with an attack of intermittent fever.

—Rev. J. H. Duryea, of Paterson, has gone to Bloomingburg to spend the summer.

—Mrs. W. H. Foster is visiting her sons, Frank C. and Charles H. Foster, in Brooklyn.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Hanford returned, yesterday, from a ten days' trip along the New England coast.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clark Fisher and children, of Middletown, spent Tuesday at M. W. Brown's.—*Norwich Sun.*

—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gibbs and children returned on train 1, to-day, from a visit to friends in Massachusetts.

—Mrs. A. K. Dewey and Miss Mamie O'Neill went to Mountain Dale, this morning, for a few days' visit.

—Miss Sadie Groo, a charming young society lady of Middletown, is a guest of Miss Susie Conway.—*Norwich Sun.*

—City Attorney John L. Wiggins, wife and daughter, and Misses Lillian and Ella Wiggins left this morning for Asbury Park.

—Miss Flossie Nearn, of this city, will leave town, this evening, with her uncle, Mr. Michael Nearn, for a two weeks' stay at the seashore.

—Erastus Wiman, whose recent trial for forgery occupied a considerable share of public attention, is visiting at Milford, Pike county.

—Postmaster Charles L. Elwood and wife, of Middletown, are in town this week spending a few days with relatives and friends.—*Downsville News.*

—Sergt. Knapp and Clerk Decker, of the 24th Separate Co., will go to Scranton, this evening, and from there to the Pennsylvania State Camp at Gettysburgh, with Capt. Rockwell's company, of the national guard.

—Misses Anna May Bull and Nellie Purdy, of Middletown, are guests of Miss Hattie Howe.—*Warwick Advertiser.*

—Mrs. W. H. Wheeler and daughter, Maude, of Middletown, who have been visiting Mrs. Ella Borden the past few days, returned to their home Tuesday.—*Norwich Sun.*

—Dr. J. S. Sutcliffe has been notified that he passed the Civil Service examination which he took in June and that his name has been placed on the list of those eligible for appointment as Veterinary Inspectors.

—Miss Mattie Harlow, of Mendham, N. J., formerly of this city, is visiting Miss Hattie M. Bryant, on West Main street. Miss Harlow graduated in June from the Northville Seminary.

—Mrs. Gilbert H. Smith and Mrs. George E. Beakes, of this city, were in Newburgh, yesterday, in attendance on a family re-union arranged by their brother, Mr. J. V. Jordan, in honor of their mother, Mrs. Susan Jordan, who resides with her youngest daughter, near Boston, but who is now visiting at her son's, in Newburgh.

BIDS FOR LIGHTING.

Opened at a Special Meeting, Last Night. Contracts for Naphtha Lamps Awarded—Three Bids for Electric Lights.

A special meeting of the Common Council was held, last evening, to open and consider the bids for street lighting. There were present President Dorrance, and Aldermen Bowler, Funnell, Greene, Luddington, Reed and Sinsabaugh.

On motion of Mr. Greene, the bids were opened, and were as follows:

ELECTRIC LIGHTING.

Middletown-Goshen Traction Co.—100 arc lamps, guaranteed 450 Watts (nominally 2,000 candle power), each light to run all and every night, placed wherever directed by the Council, $10,000 per year for five years. For each additional light $90 per year.

Incandescent lights of 20 candle power, $15 per year, provided they are in addition to 100 arc lights.

Middletown Electric Light Co., per R. T. McDonald—100 arc lights as above stated, for $114 each per year; 40 arc lamps, 1,200 candle power, at $108 each, per year.

For a three year contract—100 arc lamps, 1,200 candle power, at $96 each per year, or 40 or more arc lamps, 1,200 candle power, at $102 per year. Less than 40 lamps $114 per lamp per year.

Alexander Thompson.—2,000 candle power arc lamps, three year contract, as soon after Sept. 1st as it is possible to erect a plant, poles, etc., $9,450 per year. Each additional lamp at the rate of $90 per lamp per year. Incandescent lamps of 50 candle power where arc lights are not available, at the rate of $30 per lamp per year.

BIDS FOR GAS LAMPS.

The Middletown Gas Electric Light Co. offered to furnish gas lights for one year or three as follows: Seventy lamps or less, $31.50 each per year; 70 to 80 lamps, $30.50; 80 to 90, $30; over 90 lamps at $29.50 each.

BIDS FOR NAPHTHA LAMPS.

The New York and New Jersey Globe Gas Light Co. offered to furnish 150 or more naphtha lamps for one year at $21 50 per lamp; for three years at $21 per lamp.

On motion of Mr. Reed the contract for naphtha lamps at above figures was awarded.

The question of lighting was informally discussed for some time, but no conclusion was reached.

Mr. Luddington moved to adjourn but the motion was lost, and a recess was taken until Monday night.

PROBABLY FATALLY INJURED

Two Sisters Run Over by a Horse—One Suffering from a Fractured Skull.

A runaway horse ran over Misses Nellie and Florence Johnson, who were crossing the street in Port Jervis, Tuesday evening.

Miss Florence was picked up in an unconscious condition, but her sister sustained only severe bruises.

It was supposed that Miss Florence was suffering from concussion of the brain, but, yesterday afternoon, it was discovered that her skull was fractured, beginning at the base and extending around the side about three inches.

The operation of trephining was performed, and the young lady has since been in a semi-conscious condition, and grave fears are entertained as to her recovery.

Look Out for the Balloon.

The Pine Bush band at its Saturday evening entertainment will send up a balloon, in which will be deposited a note requesting the finder to report to the band, and containing the names of the members of the band and the ladies who assist them in their weekly entertainments.

Hood's Completely Cures.

Pine Bush, N. Y., July 30, 1894.—I was troubled with dizziness and I tried almost everything without benefit, when a friend advised me to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, I commenced taking it and before I had finished one bottle I was better. I have taken three bottles and am entirely cured. Mrs. Lizzie Henry, Box 190.

Hood's Pills cure sick headache.

FOR INSPECTORS AND CLERKS.

Recommendations for Appointments, Made by Democratic and Republican City Committees.

Under the election law, as amended last winter, inspectors of election and clerks of election and registry are not elected as formerly, the object of the law being to secure non partisan boards.

The inspectors and clerks will be appointed by the Mayor, upon recommendation of the city committees of the two political parties.

The Democratic City Committee held a meeting, last evening, at which the following names were selected for recommendation to the Mayor:

FIRST WARD.

First District—Nominations not yet completed.

Second District—Inspectors, D. B. Sweeney, J. D. Brinkerhoff; poll clerk, J. F. Dusenberry; ballot clerk, James Claffey.

Third District—Inspectors, C. J. Burhans, R. J. Leemon; poll and ballot clerks yet to be named.

SECOND WARD.

First District—Inspectors, William Bull, Louis Wengenroth; poll clerk, Martin C. Gillen; ballot clerk, Wickham T. Shaw.

Second District—Inspectors, F. J. Kerrigan, W. R. Rodgers; poll clerk, Frank Wood; ballot clerk, Geo. W. Clark.

Third District—Inspectors, Ira S. Clauson, T. Mongan; poll clerk, D. P. A. Dugan; ballot clerk, Gad McPhillamy.

THIRD WARD.

First District—Inspectors, R. M. Cox, David L. Decker; poll clerk, and ballot clerk not yet named.

Second District—Inspectors, I. B. A. Taylor James Gavin; poll clerk, C. Macardell, Jr.; ballot clerk, A. C. Bowers.

FOURTH WARD.

No nominations for inspectors or clerks have yet been made in the Fourth Ward, but the list will be completed this evening.

REPUBLICAN RECOMMENDATIONS.

The Republican City Committee has named the following persons for Inspectors and Clerks:

FIRST WARD.

First District—Inspectors, W. D. Brown, F. B. Hathaway; poll clerk, John W. Phillips; ballot clerk——.

Second District—Inspectors, E. L. Sproat, Edwin Thorp; poll clerk, Arthur Gordon; ballot clerk, David Crosby.

Third District—Inspectors, John S. Cooper, H. D. Hopkins; poll clerk, John H. Eccles; ballot clerk, Wm. Eckert.

SECOND WARD.

First District—Inspectors, B. C. Woodward, C. B. Huise; poll clerk, S. R. Morgan; ballot clerk, Chas. J. Cooper.

Second District—Inspectors, J. H. Harding, C. H. Brown; poll clerk, Jacob Foster; ballot clerk, Daniel D. Vail.

Third District—Inspectors, R. D. Mapes, E. H. Rose; poll clerk, C. W. Martin; ballot clerk, Dwight Babcock.

THIRD WARD.

First District—Inspectors, John H. King, W. E. Kellogg; poll clerk, Warren J. Adams; ballot clerk, C. C. Veber.

Second District—Inspectors, E. B. Quick, G. H. Swalm; ballot clerk, John S. Conkling; poll clerk, C. G. Fay.

FOURTH WARD.

First District—Inspectoas, T. A. March, Louis Wolff; ballot clerk, J. M. Price; poll clerk, John L. Starr.

Second District—Inspectors, E. D. C. Crans, Joseph King; poll clerk, Thos. S. Lane; ballot clerk, Ferrand W. Haves.

Third District—Inspectors, S. A. Bull, J. J. Cox; poll clerk, Chas. J. Lowe; ballot clerk, Ed. McCrea.

BOUND TO HAVE SOME APPLES.

Stoned the Driver of a Delivery Wagon who Prevented his Taking Them.

A workman employed by Orr Brothers attempted to take some apples from Silk's delivery wagon as it was passing through Orchard street yesterday afternoon. Mr. Silk's son, who was driving, informed the man that the apples were sold and that he could not give him any. The man persisted in his efforts, and the lad hit him with the whip, whereupon the workman picked up several stones and threw them at the boy. One of the missiles struck the boy on the head and another hit him on the back. The boy complained to the police, but when the latter went to look for the man, he had disappeared, and has not yet returned to work.

WAALKILLS' VISIT TO ELLENVILLE.

Many Friends Go With the Company on Its Over the Mountain Trip.

About thirty members of Waalkill Engine Company, accompanied by seventy friends, left town, this morning, at 8:15, via the O. and W. milk train, for Ellenville, where the company will participate in a firemen's parade, picnic and clam bake. The company was in charge of its officers, T. J. Morris, Foreman; Herbert Hirst, First Assistant, and F. E. Cox, Second Assistant. Chief Thorpe, and Assistants Higham and Schmitt, and City Treasurer W. H. Knapp accompanied the party as the guests of Waalkills. The company will return, to-night, leaving Ellenville about midnight.

A New Restaurant.

Mrs. Thomas Cavanaugh has opened a restaurant in the Todd block on North street. Mrs. Cavanaugh has been in the restaurant business for many years in this city and should receive her share of the public patronage.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

Goshen's Bad Man Ends a Day of Violence by Shooting at Constable Orr—A Dusky Prisoner's Escape—Charged with Abandonment—Personal and Other Notes.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

—Bill Babcock, a burly ruffian living on the outskirts of the village, who has been arrested a number of times, but who has always got off with a light sentence, was drunk, yesterday, and pounded an aunt who accompanied him to town. She refused to make a complaint, and as the police had not seen the assault they could not make an arrest without a warrant. Later, Babcock beat his sixteen-year-old son unmercifully, and though the little fellow's face was covered with blood he was so in terror of his father that he refused to say anything. His brother, thirteen years old, made a complaint, however, and a warrant was issued for Babcock's arrest. Constable Orr went after Babcock last night. As he approached he saw that Babcock had loaded most of his effects on a wagon, and it looked as if he realized that Goshen was too hot to hold him and had made up his mind to skip. When Babcock saw the constable he took his loaded shotgun from the wagon and fired both barrels at the officer. Fortunately the shot went wide of the mark. The fellow then jumped into his wagon and drove toward the village, with the officer in close pursuit. When the village was reached Officer Landy arrested Babcock and lodged him in jail pending a hearing. It looks as if he had got himself into a bad scrape this time, and it is to be hoped that he will be held for the Grand Jury.

—Ed. and Theodore Halsey and another colored man are wanted by the police, on the charge of robbing a wandering Arab, on West Main street, near the Pine Island track, yesterday. Ed. was captured and taken to Police Headquarters, and left there while the officer went to summon witnesses. The prisoner made some excuse for getting up and moving about the room, and when near the door made a break and was gone before the astonished Police Justice could pull himself together. At last accounts Halsey had not been recaptured.

—Deputy Sheriff W. M. Smith came to town, last night, with a prisoner, and left him over night in jail. He is wanted in Rockland county for abandoning his wife and family and leaving them a charge on the county.

—Band concert, to-night, at the usual hour.

—Rev. W. S. Winans, Jr., formerly pastor of the M. E. Church, will preach here Sunday.

—Goshen contributed $220 during the past year to the Orange County Bible Society. Wallkill is the only town in the county that contributed a larger amount.

—"Punch" White was in town, yesterday.

—The Cuban ball club will play at Middletown, to-morrow, with the Middletown colored club.

A TALL-HO UPSET.

Twenty-five Passengers on Board—Several Seriously Hurt.

Armstrong's tally-ho coach, drawn by four hoses and carrying twenty-five passengers, guests of the Mansion House in Monticello, upset at Bridgeville, Wednesday evening.

Several of the passengers were quite badly hurt, among them being a lady from Brooklyn who had her thigh and arm broken.

Emancipation Day Picnic.

All arrangements for Prof. Henderson's picnic at Maennerchor Park, Friday, Aug. 10th, afternoon and evening, to celebrate the anniversary of the Emancipation Proclamation, are now completed and everything is in readiness. A large crowd is certain to be in attendance as a great many tickets have been disposed of, and all who attend will be assured of a good time. The Pioneer Band and Henderson's Drum Corps will furnish the music.

Small-pox in Newburgh.

Two cases of illness in the family of James Daley, Newburgh, diagnosed by the family physician as chicken-pox, has been declared small-pox by the Health Officer. There are eleven persons in the family, and several of the children showed symptoms of illness, yesterday.

To Cleanse the System

Effectually yet gently, when costive or bilious, or when the blood is impure or sluggish, to permanently cure habitual constipation, to awaken the kidneys and liver to a healthy activity, without irritating or weakening them, to dispel headaches, colds or fevers use Syrup of Figs.

Rev. S. M. Cole's Work on the Bridgeville Circuit.

Last evening Mr. Wm. Budd took charge of the weekly prayer service at St. Paul's Church.

Rev. John Cochran, who spent Sunday with Rev. S. M. Cole, on the Bridgeville circuit, gave a very encouraging report of the work Mr. Cole is doing in his territory, especially at Thompsonville, where extensive repairs have been made on the church edifice and there is a marked improvement in spirituality.

GEO. B. ADAMS & CO.

1,500--Thursday and Friday

WE WILL SELL

1,500 Large Fancy Border Handkerchiefs for 5c. Each.

Never sold before for less than 12½c.

Shoe sale now on. It's a big success.

Make no error by buying your shoes elsewhere **before looking** at our **stock** for our **cuts** are deep Our $1.50 Oxford Ties going at $1.19.

Boys' Waists—All 25 cent waists for 19 cents each.

All Ladies' Shirt Waists at **cost.**

Duck Suits, Duck Vests.

You cannot enjoy a vacation without a duck suit and vest, and we have them at **low prices.**

We are **sole agents** for **Y. D. Hosiery** for this city.

Thousands wear the Y. D. Hose,

They are strictly **fast black** and **good quality** at 25, 35 and 50c

Buttercup Soap 7c. a cake

GEO. B. ADAMS & CO.

NEW TREATMENT FOR OLD TROUBLES!

Hay Fever and Catarrh

Instant relief is given by using Elmoy's Catarrh Powder, 50c. Agency.

W. D. OLNEY, Drugs.

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

A VETERAN'S VERDICT.

The War is Over. A Well-known Soldier, Correspondent and Journalist Makes a Disclosure.

Indiana contributed her thousands of brave soldiers to the war, and no state bears a better record in that respect than it does. In literature it is rapidly acquiring an enviable place. In war and literature Solomon Yewell, well known as a writer as "Sol," has won an honorable position. During the late war he was a member of Co. M, 2d N. Y. Cavalry and of the 13th Indiana Infantry Volunteers. Regarding an important circumstance he writes as follows:

"Several of us old veterans here are using Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine, Heart Cure and Nerve and Liver Pills, all of them giving splendid satisfaction. In fact, we have never used remedies that compare with them. Of the Pills we must say they are the best combination of the qualities required in a preparation of their nature we have ever known. We have none but words of praise for them. They are the outgrowth of a new principle in medicine, and tone up the system wonderfully. We say to all, try these remedies."
—Solomon Yewell, Marion, Ind., Dec. 5, 1892.

These remedies are sold by all druggists on a positive guarantee, or sent direct by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind., on receipt of price, $1 per bottle, six bottles $5, express prepaid. They positively contain neither opiates nor dangerous drugs.

Sold by McMonagle & Rogers

CHAS. Z. TAYLOR, Contractor and Builder, No. 24 Henry street.

CHARLES J. EVERSON, successor to William W. Reeve, Surveyor and Civil Engineer. Office No. 5 King street, Middletown.

DR. FRED N. FRIEND, Dentist. Office corner North and King streets, Middletown; entrance on King street. Dental work of all kinds. Gas administered.

DRS. T. C. & FRED C. HOYCE, Dental Surgeons, Offices over National Express Co., Franklin Square, Middletown. All branches of dental operations practiced in the most approved methods. Nitrous Oxide Gas administered.

MIDDLETOWN Savings Bank—Money deposited on or before the 10th days of January and July, and the 3d days of April and October, will draw interest from the 1st.

D. F. SEWARD, Attorney and Counsellor at Law. Rooms 2 and 3 Lipfeld Building, No. 55 North street, Middletown. Particular attention given to the examination of titles to real estate.

DR. F. M. BARNES and DR. H. C. McBRAIR, Dentists, office on Main street, corner of South street, Middletown. Fine Operative Dentistry a specialty. Sets of teeth made for less money than at any other office in town. All are warranted.

SULPHUR BITTERS

Poor
Weak and
Weary Mothers
Raise
Puny, Pindling
Children.
Sulphur Bitters
Will make them
Strong, hearty
And healthy.

Send 2 2-cent stamps to A. P. Ordway & Co., Boston, Mass., for best medical work published.

Bicycle Ordinance.

An ordinance in relation to the use of bicycles and the riding thereof in the city of Middletown, N. Y.

The Common Council, of the city of Middletown, do ordain as follows:

Sec. 1—No person or persons shall hereafter, within the corporate limits of the city of Middletown, N. Y., ride a bicycle upon any sidewalk in said city.

Sec. 2—No person or persons shall hereafter ride any bicycle upon any of the public streets or avenues of the city of Middletown, N. Y., in the night time, or after dark, without having a lighted lamp displayed in front of such bicycle and a bell attached to said bicycle.

Sec. 3—Any person or persons violating either of the above provisions, shall be subject to a fine of five dollars for each offence, or to imprisonment in the county jail of Orange county for a term not to exceed five days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

State of New York, Middletown, Orange County, ss:

I, the above ordinance was duly passed by the Common Council July 9th, 1894, and approved by the Mayor filed July 28th, 1894.

d8..2w E. M. HAMILTON, Clerk.

TAX COLLECTOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, as required by statute, to the taxpayers of the city of Middletown, that the undersigned, Collector of Taxes, has received the warrant for the collection of taxes for the current year, and all persons in the City Hall Rooms, Foundry Block, Middletown, on each working day of the week, Saturday excepted, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving payment of taxes levied for the current year, and that taxes may be paid during said days without fee.

E. M. HAMILTON, Collector.

Middletown, N. Y., August 1st, 1894.

a1 to 29

THE DIVINE IN THE COMMONPLACE.

At the moment that Fate had set apart
For their meeting, they met, and from heart
to heart
A bond of sympathy straightway grew,
And one they became who till then were two.

Had you asked his friends to tell you aught
Of the kind of fellow the girl had "caught,"
One would have called him "an honest soul;"
Another, "a very good sort, on the whole,"
And all would assure you the man had naught
Of hidden depths, and they couldn't conceive
("But you can't account for a woman's whim!")
Whatever the girl could see in him.

Her friends would have answered much the
same
Of the girl henceforward to bear his name,
"A plain, little, inoffensive thing,
Lucky to win the wedding ring:
Pleasant enough, but tame as tame,"
And try as they might they couldn't perceive
("But a man's such a turnabout character!")
Whatever her husband could see in her.

Such would have been the wise world's speech,
While love transfigured each for each,
And she was his soul's mysterious star
And he her wonderful Avatar.

—Spectator.

AN ILLUMINATION.

The rocking chair in its perfection is found only in its native land, America. The European variety of the species is but a tolerable imitation, having neither the comfort nor the elegance of the original article. Still there are rocking chairs in Europe, and a company in Austria turns out very good semblances indeed of bent wood with cane trimmings.

I was the first one out from the big hotel to the terrace in front, and therefore had my choice of all the chairs scattered so profusely around, and if none of them was so good as the big red rocking chair of the American hotel veranda, yet the Austrian article standing empty beside the little round metal table was not to be despised, so I sat down in it and lit my cigarette. The waiter, who had followed me out, bringing a cup of black coffee, now poured out a liquor glass of the aromatic, penetrating green decoction, pouring it so deftly that it came exactly to the brim and did not spill a drop.

I have always admired the expertness of the European waiter, either with coffee or the more expensive monkish liquor.

There was a small hedge at the edge of the terrace, and I thought I had taken the last seat toward the western end, but I found I was mistaken. Behind me on the terrace was a gray green bush, and behind that bush and sheltered from the hotel lights stood another round metal table and two chairs.

Two young girls came down the hotel steps with their arms around each other in the confidential fashion of young persons still in their teens. They were aged 20 or thereabouts, and they took their places behind the bush, apparently not noticing that I was within hearing distance. By this time many people were coming out in twos and threes and little groups, and many began walking about the graveled terrace, the wise, however, securing good places at the little tables before the rush for seats began.

The deep gorge of the Rhine had filled with darkness, which the thin crest of the silver moon hanging in the sky had not light enough to penetrate. Just before going to dinner I had noticed how lovely this gorge was, with the deep green river flecked with white foam from the falls and the many tints of its surface reflecting back the splendor of the sunset sky. Now all this was gone, but almost directly below us the Rhine falls showed white and fleecy in the gathering darkness. We were some hundreds of feet above them, but their roar came up to us like the long sustained note of an organ.

The falls of the Rhine are the greatest in Europe, but you can't expect a man brought up on Niagara to wax very enthusiastic about them. Still I will say this—that they are very pretty little falls about 60 feet in height, more like rapids than cataracts, but probably it would not be quite safe to shoot these Rhine rapids in a canoe. I haven't very much respect for them, but they were pretty and white and fleecy and fragile as I looked down on them from the terrace of the big hotel.

* * * * * *

"You see," said one of the girls from behind the bush, "as soon as her parents realized how serious the case was they took her at once to Switzerland."

"Ah," said I to myself, "some poor invalid who came here with the hope of getting well, and who probably staid to die."

"Her father left the strictest injunctions that no one was to know where they were. None of the people at the office knew where the family had gone except the confidential clerk, who forwarded the letters."

"But why," said the other girl, "did they come to so public a place as the Rhine falls? I should have thought they would have been sure to have been found out."

"No," said the other girl, who must have been quite 21 years old and who knew a great deal, of course. "No; the right way when you are hiding is to go to the most public place you can. It is always in the most out of the way places that you find people you don't want to meet."

"Oh, ho!" said I to myself. "It is not a case of illness then. It looks more like a case of defalcation or something of that sort."

"They took those rooms with the long balcony in front, and they had all their meals served there. I often saw the poor girl sitting on the balcony, for they never allowed her to go out, but watched her like a couple of old cats. I think they expected her to forget in the midst of scenery like this, but it was quite evident first she forgot nothing."

"As if," said the younger girl, with some indignation in her voice—"as if the sight of the Rhine falls would make up for the sight of the person one loves."

* * * * * *

"Ah," said I to myself, with some disappointment, "it is neither a case of consumption nor defalcation, but merely an affair of the heart."

Of course I lost interest in the conversation at once and coughed lightly to let them know I was there, but at that moment the big globe containing the carbons for the arc light began to hiss and sputter over our heads, and finally it flooded all the terrace with the steely white illumination of electricity. The girls shrieked "Oh!" at this sudden brilliancy, but went on with their talk.

* * * * * *

"And how did he find out where they were?" asked the younger girl.

"Oh, in the most ingenious way," replied the older. "He tried to bribe the people in the office, and, I believe, spent a lot of money, but no one knew where they were except the confidential clerk, and of course there was no use in attempting to bribe him. Then the young man remembered that the girl had told him her father, who was a strong party man, always took the Bunkum Gazette, no matter in what part of Europe he was, so he went to the Bunkum Gazette office and said to the clerk:

"'I believe a mistake was made in the address of Mr. Spalding. Would you kindly look it up, so that I can correct it?' The clerk at once brought down the book, and as he opened it the young man said, 'H. S. Spalding, please?' So the clerk ran his finger down the page and read out, 'H. S. Spalding, Hotel Switzerhof, Neuhausen, Switzerland.' 'Ah,' said the young man, 'that is quite right. I thought the paper was being sent to Bern.' And so the young man left at once for Switzerland."

* * * * * *

By this time the terrace was entirely filled up, and the electric light threw a glare over the stirring scene. It was nearly 9 o'clock, and it had become so dark that the fleecy white of the Rhine falls had entirely disappeared. Then all at once the electric lights went out, and the lights were turned out in the hotel and on the terrace, so that we sat for a time in perfect darkness.

* * * * * *

"So he arrived one night at the Switzerhof hotel just when everybody was out at the illuminations. He knew how it would be. He looked over the hotel register and found out just what apartments the Spaldings occupied. He was very particular about his room, he said, and he went up stairs with the porter to look at several. One room appeared to suit him very well because it had a little balcony which was almost within reaching distance of the long balcony in front of the Spaldings' suit. 'Who occupies these rooms next to me?' he asked. 'Oh, a very quiet English family. Old gentleman and lady, with their daughter. Very quiet people, I assure you, sir.' 'Then I'll take this room,' said the young man."

"Wasn't he clever?" cried the younger girl, with enthusiasm. "I do wish I had seen him. And how did he manage to communicate with her?"

"Well, as soon as the electric lights went out, getting ready for the illuminations, he came out on his balcony. She was sitting on the corner of her balcony, the father next, and the mother beyond. You see the father was a little deaf, and the young man knew that, so he leaned over as far as he could and whispered to her, and if there hadn't been a balcony she would have fallen over. As it was, she gave a little shriek, for she recognized his voice at once. But the moment that danger was over everything was all right, and they whispered back and forth easily enough."

"Dear, dear," said the younger girl. "It's just like a scene in a play, isn't it? And did they make it up right there in whispers?"

"Yes, they did. He said he would have a carriage out in front of the hotel the next night when the illuminations were going on at the rear, and she could slip into her room, take what she could and join him there. It seems there are some formalities requisite in Switzerland before a couple can be married here, a term of residence or something of that sort. But this could all be arranged, and he had arranged it."

"Oh, wasn't he clever?" repeated the younger girl, who seemed to have unlimited admiration for another girl's young man.

"Yes," said the elder girl. "And, curiously enough, her parents told her that the next night they were going to sit out here on the terrace for the first time since they came to this hotel, and the girl thought it was very lucky, but it wasn't as lucky as she imagined. So she had the balcony to herself and her room to herself when the eventful night came.

"She had plenty of time to pack what things she needed, and then she stole down the hotel stairs, fearing at every step she might meet either of her parents, but she reached the door without meeting any one, as every one was on the terrace to see the illuminations, and joined the young man where he was waiting for her with a carriage, and they drove off together."

"Yes," said the younger girl, "and what happened then?"

"Well," said the elder girl, "the very strangest thing in the world happened. As they were driving along the Cornice road that runs from this hotel to Neuhausen the electric light man was illuminating the town, and suddenly, as if the very spirit of mischief had come over him, he turned the light full on the road, and there, just like a magic lantern picture, stood the carriage. Every one on the terrace recognized the girl, and her parents recognized the young man."

"Oh, wasn't that terrible?" cried the young girl, and I felt sure she clasped her hands in the darkness.

"And then what happened?"

"Oh, the old gentleman jumped up and ordered a carriage and horses, but of course it takes some time to get them ready. The mother began to cry, and the father raged up and down swearing, while everybody in the hotel seemed to wish godspeed to the young couple."—Detroit Free Press.

SICK HEADACHE

Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

CREST SHOE Well Shod is Half Dressed.

$2.00 AND $3.00 FOR MEN and WOMEN

BOYS', $2.00. YOUTHS', $1.75.

CHILDREN'S, $1.25. MISSES', $1.50.

IT HURTS our competitors because the CREST SHOE is the only hand-sewed shoe advertised and sold for $3; the $2 shoe is French HAND-PROCESS, unequalled for style and durability. Men's made of finest calf-skin. Women's, Misses and Children's, of that nice Dongola. All styles, all widths, tipped or plain. Look for Trade Mark and Price on sole.

SOLD BY S. BURNETT, 9 EAST MAIN ST., MIDDLETOWN, N. Y.

ADULTERATED WINE

is injurious, but nothing gives strength, and tones up the stomach like a pure old port wine. "Royal Ruby Port," so called for its royal taste and ruby color, is on account of its purity, age and strength, particularly adapted for invalids, convalescents and the aged. Sold only in bottles (never in bulk) while cheap wine is sold by the gallon and gives a larger profit to the seller but less to the user. This wine is absolutely pure, and has the age without which no wine is fit to use. Be sure you get "Royal Ruby"; quart bottles $1; pints 60 cts. Sold by

J. E. MILLS, Druggist

ELY'S CREAM BALM CATARRH

Is quickly Absorbed. Cleanses the Nasal Passages, Allays Pain and Inflammation, Heals the Sores. Protects the Membrane from Additional Cold. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell.

IT WILL CURE HAY-FEVER

A particle is applied into each nostril and is agreeable. Price 50 cents at Druggists or by mail.

ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren Street, New York.

FOR 6 CTS.

In Postage, we will send A Sample Envelope, of either WHITE, FLESH or BRUNETTE —OF— POZZONI'S POWDER.

You have seen it advertised for many years, but have you ever tried it?—If not,—you do not know what an Ideal Complexion Powder is.

POZZONI'S

besides being an acknowledged beautifier, has many refreshing uses. It prevents chafing, sun-burn, wind-tan, lessens perspiration, etc.; in fact it is a most delicate and desirable protection to the face during hot weather. It is Sold Everywhere.

For sample, address J. A. POZZONI CO. St. Louis, Mo.

MENTION THIS PAPER.

NOTICE.

Fine Clothing Made to Order.

Suits from $23.00 Up to $33.00.

PANTS FROM $5.00 UP TO $8.00

First-class Fit and workmanship guaranteed.

HERMAN NASS,

Custom Tailor, 36 East Main street, opposite Congregational Church.

Cleaning and Repairing at the lowest prices

BLOOD POISON or Syphilis permanently cured in 35 to 90 days by a Magic Remedy, under guarantee, backed by $500,000 capital. Positive proofs and 100 page book, illustrated from life of cases cured, free by mail. When Hot Springs and mercury fail, our Magic Remedy will cure.

COOK REMEDY CO., CHICAGO, ILL.

AUGUST MEETING OF The Middletown Fair and Driving Park Association,

MIDDLETOWN, ORANGE CO., N. Y.

$4,050 in Stakes and Purses. Entries Close August 7th, 1894.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Aug. 21st, 22d, 23d, 24th.

TUESDAY, AUG. 21ST.

2:30 Stakes, Trotting (filled)	$500 00
:00 Class, Trotting	300 00
Yearling Stakes (filled)	150 00

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 22D.

2:30 Class, Pacing	$400 00
2:24 Class, Trotting	500 00
Two-year-old Stakes (filled)	200 00

THURSDAY, AUG. 23D.

2:35 Class, Trotting	$400 00
2:19 Class, Trotting	500 00
Three-year-old Stakes (filled)	200 00

FRIDAY, AUG. 24TH.

2:45 Class, Trotting	$300 00
2:27 Class, Trotting	400 00
Four-year-old Stakes (filled)	200 00

H. S. POUND, President C. G. BALDWIN, Secretary.

Special Sale CRANITE WARE! AT SPOONER & AYRES'S, 40 North St., Middletown.

A Great Loss of Life is Frequently Reported

Do you realize that you might be killed at any time? Why not buy an accident policy in the Inter-State Casualty Co., which provides for your family or estate. The most liberal contract issued by any company. For rates, etc., apply to

E. E. CONKLING,

Successor to Dolson & Conkling, Insurance and Real Estate Agent

The Tailor Makes the Man, SO HE DOES. But He Must Be a Tailor. TRY WOLF & KLOHS.

HORTON & McBURNEY.

This is the Season for Lace Curtains.

We have just added a large line in Nottingham, Brussels Net and Irish Point, in both white and ecru, at all prices, from the cheapest up to the finest. It will be to your advantage to examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere. We have added to our stock

A Line of Ladies' Cambric and Lawn Wrappers

at all prices. New Laces, in white, ecru and black.

HORTON & McBURNEY,

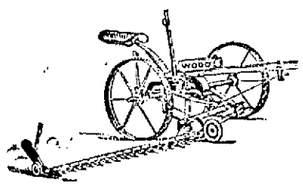
No. 27 West Main street, — — Middletown.

We Do Sell CARPET!

Even this hot weather; everybody did not buy in the Spring. We sell the year round; if there is a chance for bargains it is now. Many have availed themselves of the offer, others certainly will. We are prepared to meet all comers.

MATTHEWS & CO., CARPET BAG FACTORY.

Our Window Shades Keep OUt Light And Heat



GET THE BEST.

The Walter A. Wood Mowers, Reapers, Rakes

BRINK & CLARK,

28 NORTH AND 7 KING ST., MIDDLETOWN

DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS. The only safe, sure and reliable Female PILL ever offered to Ladies, especially recommended to married Ladies. Ask for DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS and take no other. Send for circular. Price $1.00 per box, 6 boxes for $5.00. DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., - Cleveland, Ohio.

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

CASTORIA

for Infants and Children.

THIRTY years' observation of Castoria with the patronage of millions of persons, permit us to speak of it without guessing. It is unquestionably the best remedy for Infants and Children the world has ever known. It is harmless. Children like it. It gives them health. It will save their lives. In it Mothers have something which is absolutely safe and practically perfect as a child's medicine.

Castoria destroys Worms.
Castoria allays Feverishness.
Castoria prevents vomiting Sour Curd.
Castoria cures Diarrhœa and Wind Colic.
Castoria relieves Teething Troubles.
Castoria cures Constipation and Flatulency.

Castoria neutralizes the effects of carbonic acid gas or poisonous air.
Castoria does not contain morphine, opium, or other narcotic property.
Castoria assimilates the food, regulates the stomach and bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep.
Castoria is put up in one-size bottles only. It is not sold in bulk.
Don't allow any one to sell you anything else on the plea or promise that it is "just as good" and "will answer every purpose."
See that you get C-A-S-T-O-R-I-A.

The fac-simile signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* is on every wrapper.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

100 Men's All Wool Suits

heavy weight, the best value we ever offered, formerly sold from $8 to $10, to be sold at

$5 NOW

AT

CHAS. WOLFF & SON'S,

The oldest established and most reliable clothiers in the city, 43 James street, Middletown, N.Y.

ATTENTION, FARMERS.

We Have the Latest and Most Improved

POTATO DIGGER IN THE MARKET

at prices that suit these times. Sent out on trial. Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

GEO. A. SWALM & SON, 18 North St.

"A HANDFUL OF DIRT MAY BE A HOUSEFUL OF SHAME." CLEAN HOUSE WITH

SAPOLIO

Special at Stern's.

Having closed a manufacturer's entire stock of Ladies' Suits we will sell, as long as they last:

Lot 1, all colors, at $1.29, former price $2.45
Lot 2, all colors, at $1.95, former price $3.95
Lot 3, best White Duck Suits, our price $2.47

Come to the Old Reliable House of L. STERN.

ICE, ICE, ICE!

"STILL IN IT."

Prices from April 1st until further notice as follows:

Consumers of 1,000 pounds per week,	15 cents per hundred
Stores, etc.,	20 cents per hundred
Families,	30 cents per hundred

MIDDLETOWN ICE CO.

Office No. 15 Depot St. L. G. WILSON, Manager.

TELEPHONE CALL NO. 35.

BEFORE AND AFTER USING.

RESTORED MANHOOD DR. MOTT'S NERVERINE PILLS

The great remedy for nervous prostration and all nervous diseases of the generative organs of either sex, such as Nervous Prostration, Failing or Lost Manhood, Impotency, Nightly Emissions, Youthful Errors, Mental Worry, excessive use of Tobacco or Opium, which lead to Consumption and Insanity. With every $5 order we give a written guarantee to cure or refund the money. Sold at $1.00 per box, 6 boxes for $5.00. DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO. Cleveland, O.

Sold Only by W. D. OLNEY, Middletown, N.

PHŒBE.

When skies are blue
And threaded through
With skeins of sunlight spangles,
And breezes blow
Quite soft and low
Amid the tree top tangles;
When summer has the world in thrall,
And joy is sovereign over all,
'Tis curious that a little girl
Should utter such a wistful word
As "Poor me! Poor me!"

When days are long
And limbs are strong,
And blithe with youth the season;
When everything
Is tuned to spring
And rhyme and not to reason;
When life is all a holiday
With naught of care and much of play,
'Tis shrill that a little maid
Should such complaining words have said
As "Poor me! Poor me!"

—Julie M. Lippmann in St. Nicholas.

Settled His Score.

He was a smooth tongued fellow, and the barkeeper looked at him with a cold and suspicious eye. The latter official attempted several times between the drinks and stories to have a private word with the smooth tongued chap, but his designs were apparently understood and therefore frustrated. Finally, as the evening waned the barkeeper brought out a scrap of paper on which was inscribed some meaning language. The young man took it, read it carefully and put it in his pocket, with the casual remark that "that was all right."

"Now, look here," said the barkeeper a little later, "about that bill of yours. Can't you let me have something on that now?"

The young man's friends were rather abashed at this, but the young man wasn't phased. "Really," he said, "if I could I would, but you see I haven't got it."

"How much have you got?"

"I'll give you all I've got, of course, if you'll wipe out the score. Is it a go?"

"All right. I'll do it," promptly replied the barkeeper, thinking this was a grand bluff.

The young man turned his pockets wrong side out, the financial result being $1.86. The barkeeper produced the account, which was $7.50. The young man smiled.

"Now," said he, "I believe it is customary when a man settles his account at this bar for the house to treat. Boys, what'll you have?"

But the barkeeper was looking for the bungstarter, and they didn't wait to see whether he found it.—New York Herald.

Matter of Construction.

Two respectable looking men of middle age were talking quite earnestly and quite audibly in a Cold Spring car the other evening.

"Did you go to see her?" asked one.

"Oh, yes, certainly!" replied the other.

"How do you like her?"

"I think she is a perfect beauty," was the rapturous reply, whereat all the passengers looked that way, and a young woman directly opposite the speaker blushed and tried to pretend she wasn't listening.

"Yes, I admire her very much," added the man. "I like her style."

"Elegantly built and fitted out, isn't she?"

"Yes, and she's pretty fast too."

The young woman across the aisle could stand it no longer. She nodded confusedly to the conductor and got off at the next crossing.

The respectable looking men didn't notice anything and kept right on with their gossip.

"I wouldn't mind owning her."

"I wouldn't object myself. She'll be a paying investment—that is, if she sails as well as she did today. Let's see, what's that her name is? I've forgotten."

"The Northwest."

And the other passengers smiled.—Buffalo Express.

Silence as the Alabama Went Down.

When the Alabama went down there was never a shout from the Kearsarge. "Silence, boys! silence!" was the stern command, and in dead, awful silence the buccaneer sank to the bottom of the sea. There was chivalry for you—one of the grand silences of history—a silence thrilling with brotherhood, prophetic of brotherhood restored. How naturally, unless we know the facts, we assume that there was a fine hurrah of rejoicing on the Kearsarge when the Alabama went down! Could outburst of victory have surpassed that silence?—Atlantic Monthly.

It is said that so much farm land in England has lately been allowed to lapse from cultivation that wild animals, which 10 years ago were in danger of extinction, are now flourishing and increasing. The badger and the otter, for instance, are reported to be thriving greatly on agricultural depression.

It was a German orator who, warming with his subject, exclaimed, "There is no man, woman or child in the house who has arrived at the age of 50 years but what have felt the truth thundering through their minds for centuries."

The Russians are the most religious persons on the face of the globe, never touching food or drink without making the sign of the cross and never starting upon or returning from a journey without giving thanks.

The translation of Quintus Curtius by Vaugelas occupied 30 years. The translator rendered every sentence five or ten different ways and finally chose that which pleased him best.

Miss Adelaide Utter of Kansas City, who was elected corresponding secretary of the Social Science Federation at its last meeting, is also clerk of the circuit court.

The British colony in Borneo issues its own coinage, cents, half cents and notes of $1, $5, $10 and $25. All accounts are kept in United States currency.

One of the most disagreeable duties of the Hawaiian police is the examination and arrest of persons suspected of having leprosy.

VIGOR OF MEN

Easily, Quickly, Permanently Restored

WEAKNESS, NERVOUSNESS, DEBILITY,

and all the train of evils from early errors or later excesses, the results of overwork, sickness, worry, etc. Full strength, development and tone given to every organ and portion of the body. Simple, natural methods. Immediate improvement seen. Failure impossible. 2,000 references. Book, explanation and proofs mailed (sealed) free.

ERIE MEDICAL CO. BUFFALO, N. Y.

METHUSELAH SHINGLED

His House But Once

WITH

Red Cedar Shingles.

FOR SALE BY

CRANE & SWAYZE.

WANTED.

Furnished house, of not less than ten rooms, with modern improvements, and in a first-class location in this city. Apply to or address

THEO. L. REEVE

Real Estate and Insurance,
14 EAST MAIN STREET. MIDDLETOWN

JACOB GUNTHER,

DEALER IN
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
Wines, Liquors and Cigars

MEALS ON THE EUROPEAN PLAN.

The Assembly Rooms for Balls and Entertainments.

MASONIC BUILDING,
North St., Middletown

If You Build a New House OR REMODEL YOUR OLD ONE!

YOU MUST PAY STRICT ATTENTIO TO THE

Plumbing and Ventilation!

DEGNAN & CO.

Make this work a specialty

Write or call on them for estimates for all work in their line. dly Apr15

YOUR MONEY'S WORTH

That's the cry in these times. Deception can be practiced even in soda water. Our motto, value received. New flavors, London Shrub, Ruby Nectar, also old reliable Crushed Strawberry and everything else.

City Pharmacy.

S. T. CLINEMAN & CO.,

COR. NORTH AND CORTLAND STS

$30 PER ACRE.

For Sale -- A Good Grain and Dairy Farm of Nearly 300 Acres.

Well located near railroad station, about 7 miles from this city; large and excellent house, granary and wagon house, large barns, etc.; fine peach orchard, plenty of other fruit, well watered, about 50 acres timber, balance available; good tenant. Price $3,500, or less than $30 per acre. Easy terms. A down right bargain.

A. V. BOAK,

Real Estate Agent. No. 35 North Street.

YOU CAN BUY

THE BEST

Ohio Patent Flour,

IN ¼ BARREL SACKS,

FOR 88 CENTS

AT

I. B. A. TAYLOR & CO.'S,

CORNER MILL AND MAIN STREETS.

ERIE LINES

Solid trains between New York and Chicago, via Chautauqua Lake or Niagara Falls. Pullman cars between New York and Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Toronto, Chautauqua Lake, Cleveland, Cincinnati and Chicago.

TIME TABLE.

Adopted June 17th, 1894.

| Eastern Time. | 29 | 7 | 25 | 15 | 27 | 5 | 33 | 11 | 1 | 21 | 17 | 9 | 13 | 31 | 35 | 3 | 37 | 39 | 41 | 43 | 45 | 47 | 49 | 51 | 53 | 55 | 57 | 59 | 61 | 63 | 65 | 67 | 69 | 71 | 73 | 75 |

SHOTS HERE AND THERE

AN "ARGUS" MAN OFF DUTY AIMS AT SEVERAL SUBJECTS.

Spoke With the Voice of a Prophet—Delights of Rural Life—A Suburban Resident's Experiences With Hired Men—How It Comes That He Has to Do His Own Work.

In his address at the re-dedication of the Soldiers' Monument, May 14th, Mr. George H. Decker said:

Far be it from me, sir, to say that good men and good women of any and every nationality should be denied admission upon our shores, but I do say that to only good men and good women,—such men and women as will make good American citizens, should the doors of this republic be opened; and to that end I would constitute every American consul abroad a commissioner of emigration and hold him to the strictest accountability.

It is worth a passing note that the bill for the regulation of immigration and the exclusion of anarchists, which passed the Senate, Monday, is exactly on the lines suggested by Mr. Decker, and makes it the duty of our consuls at European ports to make a strict examination of all emigrants whose destination is the United States. Mr. Decker seems to have seen with the eye of a seer and spoken with the voice of a prophet when, three months ago, he outlined what should be done to prevent the abuse of the privileges which this land of promise offers to Europe's surplus population.

* * *

Times may be hard and employment scarce but for all that laborers are not always easy to get, nor are they easily satisfied when obtained. As a gentleman, who has a small farm just outside the city limits, recently discovered. He employed three men in succession to attend to his horse, mow the lawn, and make himself generally useful as occasion might require. The matter of wages was arranged satisfactorily and everything seemed as if it would run on smoothly, but before night the first man threw up his work in disgust. He had been asked to push an ordinary eighteen-inch lawn mover over a little lawn, and traversed it a few times, when he dropped the machine and started for the city. Arrived at the gentleman's office, he said he couldn't do such work as pushing an eighteen-inch lawn mower and should not be expected to "It was horse's work, not a man's and he wasn't going to do it."

A second man was engaged and with the memory of the first one's objections to the hard labor involved in pushing an eighteen-inch lawn mower in vivid view, his labors were purposely made as light as possible. Inside of three days he gave up the job and left saying "It was altogether too lonesome for him out there," and he departed for other scenes of usefulness where he could have the advantages of society and the social enjoyments which he craved.

The third man was hired a day or two later, but up to the present time he has not put in an appearance, and as several days have elapsed since he was engaged is not expected to. It is conjectured that he has run across the former holders of this position on the farm and been discouraged by their tales of the hardships of running an eighteen-inch lawn mower by hand, and the melancholy and depressing loneliness of the place. The owner of the farm, at last accounts, was doing his own work and is almost in despair of ever being able to get any one to do it for him.

ONTARIO AND WESTERN EARNINGS

A Remarkably Good Showing in a Bad Year for Railroads.

The New York, Ontario and Western Railroad reports earnings for the month of June. Gross $379,867, increase $5,691, operating expenses and taxes $251,513, decrease $9,083, net $125,321, increase $11,752. For year ending June 30, 1894: Gross $3,342,119, increase $153,916; operating expenses and taxes $2,732 510, decrease $65,585; net $1,109,579, increase $219,631, fixed charges $690,012, increase $7,917; surplus $419,566, increase $162,711

This is a most remarkable showing for a year in which almost every railroad in the country reports decreased earnings, both gross and net, and is evidence of the prudence and far seeing business capacity of the Ontario and Western management.

Wheelmen to Have Another Meet.

At the meeting of the Middletown Wheelmen, last night, Fred Brown, Robert Jervis, and Harry O'Neil, Fred Merrick and John Duryea were elected members. It was voted to hold the next race meet in September, and a committee was appointed to fix the date and make all arrangements.

Take it as you will it, in liquid or powder form, have that you get Simmons Liver Regulator. It cures Headache, Biliousness and Constipation. You need not make a tea cup. A spoonful of the liquid, or a pinch of the powder, just before going to bed will insure refreshing sleep, and the next morning you feel as though you had a new lease on life. Simple package powder, 25 cents.

A MOTORMAN'S DREAM.

In Which He Sees the Lives of Many People in Danger and is Powerless to Help Them—It Results in An Invention that May be of Great Value.

The life of a motorman on an electric car looks easy enough and it would be but for its monotony and his great responsibility. A motorman, like a locomotive engineer, has the lives of his passengers in his hands, and if his run is a short one it is monotony itself. Impressed with his responsibility, it is no wonder, if restless in his sleep, the motorman should dream of running his car, and of the dangers that attend his occupation.

Tuesday, one of Middletown's most careful and conscientious motormen said to an ARGUS reporter who occupied a seat on the front platform, on the way to the Wickham avenue depot:

"I had a dream, last night, and it impressed me so that I can't get it out of my mind, and I believe that it has resulted in my inventing a device that will be of great value to owners of electric railways, even if it should never benefit me.

"I dreamed that I was running a car to Midway Park with sixty passengers on board; we were going down a steep hill a mile and a half long, (of course there is no such hill on the route, but it appeared real enough in my dream) and my brake chain broke and we began to run down the hill at lightning speed. I at once reversed the motor, but, as sometimes happens, the fuse burned out and all control of the car was lost, and as it sped down the hill and I expected to see it leave the rails and be dashed to pieces and the passengers killed or maimed, I awoke with the perspiration standing in beads on my forehead.

"I could not have felt worse if my dream had been a reality and as further sleep that night was impossible, I began to wonder if there was not something that could be done in such an emergency to check the mad speed of the car.

The brake chain being broken, of course mental investigation in that direction was useless. Then I thought of the burned out fuse and that if I could devise a plan to connect the broken circuit I could use the current to reverse the motor, and thus regain control of the car.

"The fuse box is under the platform where nobody could get at it if the car is running away down a hill. If it was where I could get at it instantly I saw how I could connect a broken circuit if necessary, but as it wasn't, I just laid there, while other people slept, and thought out a simple device that I know will do the work in a second and I'm going to have it patented."

The motorman explained his device and it is certainly simple enough, and with our limited knowledge of electricity as applied to railroading, it would seem to be of great value in such an emergency as the motorman saw in his dream, but as it would prevent his securing a patent if a description of it was published, we will not do so now. We trust however, that the motorman's dream may result in his securing a valuable patent, and in furnishing a further safeguard for the operation of electric cars.

REPAVING JAMES STREET

The Less of It Done the Better for the Street.

When a petition was sent to the Common Council asking that the James street pavement be relaid at the expense of the city, the ARGUS raised an objection that the pavement, except where it had been torn up for the railway and the Casino sewer, was one of the best in Orange county and said that not a block of it should be disturbed.

In its superior wisdom the Council let a contract for repaving, and the Street Committee has the power to take up and relay the whole pavement if it so desires.

It is only necessary to look at the work being done to convince even the petitioners that not a block more than those that the railway company and Casino company were obliged to relay, should have been disturbed.

MONTGOMERY

Notes of the National Game—Popular Band Concerts—Personal.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY

—The Montgomery Junior Base Ball Club went to Maybrook, last Friday afternoon, and crossed bats with the home nine. The game was very close and exciting and in the tenth inning the boys from the "old academic town" snatched victory from the jaws of defeat. The score was 6 to 5. The pitchers, Eager, of the visitors, and Nugent, of Maybrook, were very affective at critical stages.

—The Middlehope B. B. C. came to Montgomery, last Saturday, hopeful of victory, but the Montgomerys got away with them by a score of 12 to 3.

—The Montgomery Juniors played the Campbell Hall Giants a game of ball here on Tuesday afternoon. For a time things looked dubious for the home nine, but they came up the home stretch and made a Garrison finish and won by a score of 16 to 11.

—Miss Essie Dusenberry, of Jersey City, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. E. B. Mills, on Clinton street.

—The band concert, Tuesday evening, was very largely attended. In fact all the concerts are well attended, which shows appreciation of the good music rendered by the band.

THE LITTLE ONES.

Dr. Grinnell Recommends Lactated Food.

Cholera Infantum is Reaping a Harvest.

Lactated Food is the Surest Preventive.

It Has Saved Thousands of Infant Lives.

Every Parent Should Now Be Supplied With It.

"After using lactated food for five years in cases of children suffering from cholera infantum, and in debilitating or wasting diseases, during which time it never failed me, I have pleasure in calling the attention of physicians to it, and in recommending its use."

So says A. P. Grinnell, M. D. the dean of the medical faculty of the University of Vermont, and the statement is published in the *Ladies' Home Journal*.

The statement is of inestimable value to mothers.

More than a fifth of all the babies born in the State of New York die before they have lived a year. And two-thirds of these die in summer of cholera infantum and kindred diseases.

High temperature makes it impossible for baby to digest its usual food. It is then that unusual precautions must be taken or the weak, sickly babies will be victims of cholera infantum.

During hot weather, strength must be somehow kept up, and yet without burdening and overturning the delicate digestive organs. It is just here that mothers and physicians and lactated food necessary.

The explanation of the great success of this food in keeping babies strong through the summer is that in its composition nature's food for babies has been the model. It is pleasant to the taste, and is taken by babies with relish, and is easily digested and assimilated.

It is what physicians term a predigested food, and is especially valuable in all weak conditions of the digestive organs, not only for infants, but for invalids and aged persons.

Mothers may stop worrying about their babies after they have once been put on a diet of lactated food. Trained nurses keep lactated food on hand even when baby is fed on mother's milk. In cases of failure of the natural milk, or when weaning or during any possible illness of the mother, lactated food best takes the place of the natural food. Try it. It saves babies' lives.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria

Cure Yourself

Don't pay large doctor bills, The best medical book published, 100 pages, elegant colored plates, will be sent you on receipt of three two-cent stamps to pay postage. Address A. P. Ordway & Co., Boston, Mass.

ONE CENT A WORD

for each insertion. No advertisement taken for less than 10 cents.

WM. H. Sagendorf's daughter, ALICE I KROM is a Clairvoyant, and is to remain at 108 North street, in the same office 1dot*

BOOKBINDING of all descriptions at MCINTYRE'S, 32 North street d7tf

WANTED—$1 400 on bond and mortgage Building just completed, 6 per cent EDWIN S. MILDRILL, Attorney at Law, 16 East Main street

A FREE RIDE—You can LET THE TROLLEY take you to the NORTH END to see those beautiful Building Lots that FERGUSON has for sale so very cheap. He pays the freight Inquire at Central Building

ALL Kinds of shoe dressing, shoe laces, Tan shoes cleaned, recolored and repaired while you wait. No charges for sewing tips or putting on buttons at CRAIG'S, 22 West Main street.

BARGAIN—For sale House and lot on East avenue Lot 75x150 For further particulars enquire at No 53 East avenue 28dtf

PINDAR House, corner Wickham and Low avenues Board at reasonable rates Commercial $1 50 per day td

HOUSE to Let 8 rooms all modern improvements, centrally located Apply to CHAS. C. STRAUB, No 5 King street.

STORE for Rent, suitable for drug store, grocery or dry goods business Enquire at 2 dtf Pindar House, Wickham avenue depot

NO STRIKE on Fish—Come to HARLOW'S Mail 1. We have a fine lot of fresh fish all kinds on Sunday dinner

ORDER Gazette, Daily or Sunday N Y Papers Clean's News Depot Roberts St M'k't

PERSONS Desiring Your Hose Cleaned Perfectly Have Them Pressed Dry Process North and Hand Laundry Price $1 2 WOLF & KLOHS Agts Talbots North street. S dx w tf

ORANGE COUNTY ROOFING CO—Excelsior Felt in a complete Well Asphalt, Felt & Gravel roof up to Next 1 Foot Limes Mineralized Sheathing Felt Board and the Burning Fire Extinguisher No 6 East Main street Middletown N Y 93d&wNov5

Special Sale, Friday.

SHIRT WAISTS.

One lot Ladies' Cambric Shirt Waists, with and without yokes, sizes 32 to 46, worth 39c, for this sale.....

19C.

One lot Ladies' Extra Fine China Silk Waists, fully worth $5, for this sale. **$2,49.**

HOSIERY.

One lot Children's Tan Hose, fast color, fully worth 19c, for this sale. **2 for 25c.**

The above specials are for Friday only.

The New York Store

Cash Fancy Goods House of Middletown.

63 North Street, Next to Postoffice.

NEW TO-DAY.

AUCTION SALE OF FARM.

Farm for Sale to Close an Estate.

The undersigned, heirs at law of Pamela Hasbrouck, deceased, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on Saturday, the 1st day of September, 1894, at the hotel kept by John Bennett, at Bloomingburgh, in the county of Sullivan, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, all that farm of land situate in the town of Mamakating, in the county of Sullivan, containing about one hundred and twenty acres of land. The said farm is about one-fourth of a mile from the village of Burlingham. The buildings are in good repair, and there is a never failing stream of water on the farm.

ABNER HASBROUCK
ELIZABETH H BIRCH

swSepti

FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY MORNINGS.

Fancy Delaware county Butter in 1 pound prints, elegant California Pears, Peaches and Plums, Watermelons, Muskmelons, Sweet Potatoes, Clam Bouillon, Clam Chowder, Spiced Oysters, New Mackerel in kits, Japanese Tooth Picks, the best flour on the market, Bull & Youngblood's Superlative; Coffees and Teas we are headquarters at the

City Grocery
OF
BULL & YOUNGBLOOD,
37 North Street,
TELEPHONE CALL No. 55

S. W. Millspaugh' & Co.'s Bookstore

HAMMOCKS, CROQUET,
TENNIS,
Rackets, Base Ball Goods.

LATEST NOVELS FOR SUMMER READING.

S. W. MILLSPAUGH & CO.,
29 NORTH ST., — MIDDLETOWN

WANTED—Two thousand dollars. First mortgage, on fine farm property, nearcity.

FOR SALE—House and lot, No. 20 Roberts street. Splendid location.

TO LET—Fine store room, on West Main street.
Dwelling, with all improvements, No. 25 Prospect street.

CASE & TAYLOR,

Real Estate and Insurance Agents, No. 18 North St., Stern Building, Middletown.

Real Estate and Insurance.

Farms, city and other properties for sale or exchange on easy terms Insurance in strong companies Fire, Life, Accident and Tornado Protect life and property Apply to

Gardner & McWillams,
25 NORTH ST., LIPFELD BUILDING.

Relief in Six Hours.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "New Great South American Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceedingly prompt ness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by J. E. Mills, druggist, Middle-N. Y.

75 TUBS

Choice June and July Delaware county

BUTTER

ALSO

25 PACKAGES FRESH CREAMERY AND DAIRY BUTTER.

Give us a call and save money.

C. N. PREDMORE & SON.

LARGE

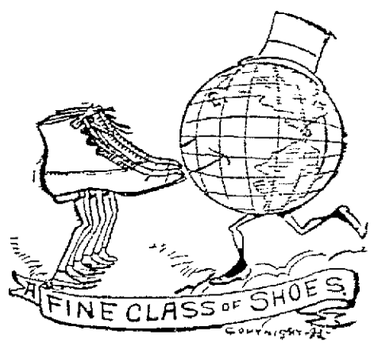
New Mackerel!

7c. Per Pound

AT

W. H. FOSTER'S,

30 East Main St.



THE WHOLE WORLD IS AFTER OUR SHOES AND Most of the People of Middletown Wear Them!

AND I WOULD SAY TO THOSE WHO DO NOT, THAT IT WOULD PAY THEM TO TRY A PAIR.

Our Motto—The Best Goods at Lowest Prices, at

J. G. HARDING'S,

25 West Main street,
Middletown, N. Y.

We Have Applied the Hatchet

to our stock of clothing, and the chips are flying. We are selling

Men's Pants at 35 cents.
Men's all wool Pants at $1.75.
Men's all wool Suits at $4.75.
Men's Suits at $3.75
Boys' Suits at $3.00.
Children's Suits at 75 cents.

A POSITIVE GUARANTEE!

Every article bought from us is guaranteed as represented. We take the goods back, and SHOULD you come back you'll find us at the old stand.

50 Cent Ties at 29 Cents!

Tecks and Four-in-Hands, in all the latest styles.

25c. Tecks at 15c. Fast Black Socks,

Hermsdorf dye, only 10c. Remember the place,

BUDWIC & CO.,

Leading Clothiers, Tailors, Furnishers,
NO. 8 NORTH STREET.

P. S.—Suits to order from $16 50 up. Fit guaranteed every time.

d6,7,8,9w9

Prices on Everything Away Down.

Children's colored Hose marked down from 25c. to 8c. a pair until all are sold Summer Corsets 39c., sold everywhere at 50c. All silk ladies' or children's Ties at 15c. each Ladiee fast black seamless Hose 15c. a pair, two pairs 25c. Best Apron Gingham 5c. a yard. All Millinery Goods lower than ever before; we don't want to carry over a lot of goods and have to sell old stock next year. We give our customers the benefit of low prices.

A. T. SQUIER,

5 West Main St., Middletown

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®
NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®